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GEORGE A. SARGISON,
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Victoria, September 4, 1893. s6-15t

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Serious Shooting Scrape.

St. Andrew's, Que., Sept. 6.—With several bullets lodged in his side, one in the arm and a badly bruised face, Frank Bryerton, sr., lies in the convent here. There are hopes for his recovery. It is said he is not yet out of danger. The shooting was done early yesterday morning by one Carkner, who lives with his daughter, Mrs. McGoldrick, who is seperated from her husband. Bryerton was in the habit of visiting her. He was refused admittance on Monday night and tried to force himself in, but was shot by Carkner.

Prison Made Jute Bags.

San Francisco, Sept. 5.—The prison directors have resolved to comply with the terms of the Ostrom act relating to jute bags, notwithstanding that the question of its constitutionality is now pending. They are prepared to sell their prison stock at a fraction over six cents, which is one per cent. above actual cost of production. At this price they estimate that about one million bags will be sold by the end of the season.

PERSONAL.

Alex. McQueen, of Vancouver, is in town.
E. G. Anderson left for California this morning.
F. W. Parker, of the Northwestern, is again in the city.
Mrs. J. H. Turner has returned from Harrison Hot Springs.
Hon. Geo. A. Peil and A. D. Peil, of New York, are at the Driard.
J. H. Todd returned last evening from a business trip to Vancouver.
Hon. Justice Drake was a passenger from the Mainland last evening.
Stanley Henderson, of Vancouver, left for San Francisco this morning.
Miss Lottie Hammond, of Port Townsend, is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. P. Hickey.
G. A. Carleton, of the C.P.N. Company, returned last evening from a business trip to Vancouver.
J. H. Suthoff, the San Francisco commercial man is in the city and is at the Hotel Victoria.
Geo. L. Seward, of San Francisco, and Dr. Hulin, of Ghent, Belgium, are among the guests at the Driard.
D. E. Brown will return to British Columbia on the Empress of India, which is the next C.P.R. steamer to come this way.
Manager John W. Hanna, of Seattle and Tacoma, was in the city last evening to meet Manager Jamieson. He was at the Victoria.
Carl Heitman, formerly of the Daily News staff, passed through the city on his way to San Francisco. He was accompanied by his cousin, Miss Pearse Whitcomb. Mr. Heitman was about the city this morning renewing old acquaintance.

GEARY'S CHINESE ACT

No Doubt Now That it Will be Enforced by the Americans.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND SANCTIONS IT

Father of the Bill Personally Assured by the Executive.

Money Now in the Treasury to be Used—When That is Exhausted More Will be Provided—What a Missionary Says About Its Effect on China—Outlaw Evans' Trial.

Washington, Sept. 6.—The administration has fully determined to enforce the Geary Chinese Exclusion Act. There is no longer any doubt on this point. Representative Geary was told yesterday by Assistant Secretary Hamelin, by Secretary Carlisle and by President Cleveland. Mr. Geary first had a long conference with Hamelin and Carlisle. This conference was held before the cabinet meeting. When this meeting was over, Geary called upon President Cleveland at the White House, by appointment, arranged with the President by the Secretary Carlisle. The President asked Mr. Geary very many questions, and was earnest in trying to get at all the facts in connection with the law and its effect on every section of the country, and especially on the Pacific coast. The President indicated he never had any intention of allowing the law to become a dead letter. He seemed to realise fully that the administration could ill afford to fail to put in force a law passed by Congress and declared constitutional by the United States supreme court. The upshot of the conference is that the question will come up for full discussion at the cabinet meeting.

Mr. Geary said last night that he had no fear of the result; it is more than likely that money now available in the treasury will be used to pay the expenses of the deportation of convicted celestials, just so far as it will go, and by the time it is used a further necessary sum will be provided by congressional appropriation. This appropriation, it is believed, can be secured from Congress, especially if the President favors it, and there seems no doubt that he will.

China Will Retaliate.

San Francisco, Sept. 6.—Hunter Corbett, of Chee Foo, China, who has been a missionary for 30 years, and is now on his way back to China after a visit to the World's Fair, says, concerning the effect of the Geary law in China: "The Chinese are only waiting to see whether or not this country intends to enforce the law. If it be enforced they will simply retaliate by sending all Americans out of that country, that will be all there is to it. They have us nailed, and when the Geary law is enforced here it will be enforced there. The only difference will be that while the government will pay the expenses of deporting Chinese, the Americans in China will be left to get out of that country as best they can, but get out they certainly must and will. A great many of us in the missionary field will become British subjects rather than give up the work."

To Prevent Bias.

Berne, Sept. 6.—It is reported that Dr. A. DeClaperean, Swiss minister to the United States, will be transferred to Vienna. He is a member of the arbitration tribunal which will adjudicate upon the dispute between the United States and Chili. The change will not be made until the close of the proceedings of the arbitration.

Outlaw Evans' Trial.

Fresno, Cal., Sept. 6.—The case of the People v. Charles Evans has been set for trial on October 30th. Evans is to be tried for the murder of Wilson and McGinnis at Young's cabin last September.

Collision in the Straits.

Port Townsend, Sept. 6.—The bark Bonanza and the schooner Excelsior collided in the straits near Port Angeles at 1 o'clock this morning. Both vessels were going seven knots an hour. The port bow of the Excelsior was carried away, and it was believed she would sink when the Bonanza left. The latter vessel was badly injured, her bow timbers being sprung. After the accident the Excelsior declined assistance from the Bonanza. The Excelsior was towed into Port Angeles at noon by the tug Discovery. The Excelsior's bows are stove in, which will necessitate the cargo being discharged and the vessel going into the dry dock for repairs.

Behring Sea Patrol.

San Francisco, Sept. 6—Steamer Berta, Captain Hay, sailed at 9 o'clock this morning for Ounalaska, carrying supplies and naval orders for the Behring Sea fleet. It is reliably stated that the Mohican, Ranger, Albatross and Petrel are to patrol the sea up to October 1st, which is the date fixed for their departure. The first three vessels named will return here and the Petrel will go back to the Asiatic station. The cutters Corwin, Bear and Rush will remain north until some time in November.

Death of Banker Farquhar.

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 6.—The death occurred this morning at Brookden, Hants county, of James Farquhar, senior member of the banking and insurance firm of Farquhar, Forrest & Co., after a short illness. He was 73.

Mitchell's Sturdy Loyalty.

Montreal, Sept. 6.—The Gazette today, editorially commenting on Hon. Peter Mitchell's interview in the Boston Globe, says: "His patriotism has never been questioned, and he has never hesitated to set a good example to all Canadians in proclaiming his reasons for his sturdy loyalty when the occasion required." The Gazette says what is especially striking is the contrast between the first courageous words of Mr. Mitchell with respect to Canada's trade relations with her neighbor, and those weak, timid utterances of the Liberal leaders of a certain type.

Taffy on His Ear.

London, Sept. 6.—Something of a sensation has been caused, especially among the Welsh members of parliament, by the publication of a letter from Mr. Gladstone in which the premier says that he cannot pledge himself to single bills, referring particularly to the Welsh disestablishment bill. The Welsh members thereupon held a meeting, at which it was proposed to demand a definite statement from the prime minister, and threatening the withdrawal of their support in the event of its being withheld.

Appropriated Their Thunder.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—Owing to the critical state of affairs in the financial world, the convention of the American Bankers' Association, which was to have been opened in this city to-day, has been indefinitely postponed. The action of the lower house of congress in passing the repeal bill would have had the effect of stealing the convention's thunder had it come together at this time, as one of its principal objects was to impress the national legislature with the necessity for such action.

AWFUL DEVASTATION.

Terrible Plight of the Beaufort Islanders—Starvation Imminent.

Charleston, Sept. 6.—The accounts of destruction and ruin in the Sea Islands have not been exaggerated. The death roll reaches nearly 1,000. The homes of nearly all the negroes who inhabit the islands have been destroyed. The crops have been lost, except in rare instances. Starvation stares 15,000 people in the face.

The press correspondent visited two of the larger islands, Ladies and St. Helena, to see what damage had been done up to this time. Communication between them was impossible during the gale. Boats would not go out, and the bridges on the island were all down. Ladies island is about 15 miles square, and from all that can be learned about a third of that is planted by colored farmers. From what could be seen in several hours' driving and walking not more than one-eighth of it will be harvested. The pitiable condition of the inhabitants cannot be exaggerated, and at the landing scores of women were wailing for rations, which were to be sent over. The visitor went to the Eustice plantation, the most prosperous on the island, and learned that out of 300 negroes 100 had been drowned, and of 32 houses 10 were left standing. The negroes were crowded together in the remaining buildings. Forty-four are buried in 20 graves. In one grave there are six bodies. The salt water had covered the plantation, and as a result the sea island cotton and potatoes were ruined. The cotton has a rusty look, as if frost had fallen upon it. The wind blew away the corn, and what little provisions were in store was either destroyed or consumed.

On St. Helena matters were found to be in a slightly better condition. There are about 50 settlements on the island, and the following results were found: At the largest of all, Lonesome Hill, two-thirds of the crop was destroyed; many persons are without homes, hungry and in need of immediate help. On the beach along Beaufort river there were originally 14 houses; there is now only one; the storm destroyed three-quarters of the crop and the last of the provisions has been consumed. Landsend, a settlement of 21houses and 35 inhabitants, suffered a loss of 13 houses; the rest are damaged; one-third of the people are dead and the crops are lost. Dr. Jenkins, of the islands, says there were once 19 houses and 64 persons; there are now 10 houses standing; three have fallen and six were washed away. At Pritchard's landing, of 28 houses and 54 inhabitants 11 houses are now standing, 13 fallen. In this section 83 persons are homeless. Their only food since the storm has been decayed sweet potatoes.

At Edding Point 18 houses were wrecked and one man killed. The relief committee has sent provisions to all the islands for distribution; they will be given out in small quantities. Orders have been given out that nothing be given those unwilling to work when called upon. With the exception of a few cases of malarial fever there is no sickness there.

The Medical Congress.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 6.—The Pan-American Medical Congress began its labors in earnest this morning, the work being divided up into 22 departments. Each department held its deliberations in a separate hall, the larger ones being accommodated in the theatres and public halls and the smaller ones in the club rooms of the different hotels. An exhibit of drugs, instruments and medical and surgical appliances was also opened this morning in the armory of the Washington Light Infantry. The collection comprises all the latest and most effective of American inventions and discoveries, and is intended to open a market in the Central and South American countries for United States druggists and instrument makers by showing the alleged superiority of their goods over those of European manufacture.

The chairman anounced that there would be a reception by the president at the White House at 5 p.m. An address was then made to the visiting delegates by Dr. Plummer of San Francisco, who moved that the committee arrange for the next meeting of the Pan-American Medical Association at San Francisco in May, 1894. He eloquently exploited the attractions and advantages of his city and state. The formal address of the occasion was then delivered by Professor Arieto of the city of Mexico on the surgical treatment of cases of gangrene. Resolutions bearing on medical and other matters were then introduced and referred and the congress adjourned until to-morrow.

LOYAL LORRAINE

Emperor Wilhelm's Speech at Metz Municipal Banquet.

GERMAN SHE IS AND SHALL REMAIN

Defended by God and Germany's Puissant Sword.

She Has Given Proofs of Her Trust in German Unity—Prince Bismarck Recovering From His Rheumatics—Isinglass, the Famous Steed, Wins the St. Ledger.

Metz, Sept. 6.—Emperor William entertained the municipal authorities last evening. In the course of his speech he said that Lorraine had given ample proof that she was happy in belonging to Germany. The people of Lorraine had learned to appreciate German unity and the greatness of the empire, to which they now declared themselves thoroughly loyal. Lorraine would forever remain German, protected by God and the German sword.

Bismarck is Better!

Kissingen, Sept. 6.—Prince Bismarck, who has been suffering from an attack of rheumatism, and whose condition for the last week, has caused great anxiety to his family and friends, was reported much better to-day.

NORTHWEST GOVERNOR.

No Decision in the Matter Probable for Some Time Yet.

Ottawa, Sept. 6.—As there is no likelihood of the cabinet arriving at any decision between Ross and Scarth for the governorship of Manitoba for some time, the appointments of Mackintosh for the Territories and for the collector of customs for Montreal will not much longer be delayed on the part of the government. Ross has a majority of the cabinet in his favor but Sir John Thompson does not like to appoint him with the influence of Hugh J. Macdonald and Daly against Ross. Schultz will be allowed to remain for some time.

Brilliant Wedding.

Reading, Sept. 6.—The marriage at high noon to-day of Miss Bessie Bacon, daughter of Mrs. Leonard Bacon, and Dr. Albert Shaw, the well-known editor of the Review of Reviews, which was celebrated in Christ cathedral, was an event of unusual brilliancy. The edifice was profusely decorated with palms and flowers, and the assemblage which witnessed the ceremony contained many well-known society people from New York, Chicago, Minneapolis and other places. The bride was attended by six bridesmaids and two flower girls, and four ushers completed the bride) party. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's mother, and late in the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Shaw left for New York, where they will take a steamer for Europe on Thursday.

Venezuela Preparing for War.

New York, Sept. 6.—General Augusto La Towski, one of President Crespo's trusted officers during the revolutionary struggle, is here to buy three ships for the Venezuelan navy. He will select three steel merchantmen, which will be fitted for war purposes.

Killed by Gas.

Binghamton, N.Y., Sept. 6.—This morning while A. Levers was digging a well he struck a vein of gas. He at once became insensible. Another young man named Marshall descended to his assistance, but he too was overcome by gas. After considerable delay both bodies were brought to the surface as dead, but Levers was resuscitated.

Mysterious Murders.

Middletown, N.Y., Sept. 6.—The murders at Burlingham continue to be a mystery. Mrs. Halliday, accused of killing the two women, became so violent that handcuffs had to be applied. Her talk is incoherent, and she is either insane or feigning insanity. The identity of her victims remains unknown. When found their feet were tied and their hands crossed and tied. The post mortem examination revealed eight bullets in the woman and seven in the girl. The woman had been dead a week, but the girl not over 48 hours. Diligent search has failed to discover Halliday's body. Friends speak in the highest terms of him. The coroner commenced an inquest yesterday on the bodies of the two women. Crowds are gathering and threats of lynching are freely heard.

The body of the younger woman has been identified as the granddaughter of Mrs. Halliday's husband, and the daughter of Robt. Halliday. She came from Providence last week; the other remains are unidentified. New York experts believe the bones found in the stove are human.

Newbury, N. Y., Sept. 6.—It is believed the women found murdered in the Halliday barn, at Middletown are Margaret McQuilligan and her daughter Sarah of this place. Mrs. Halliday, the alleged murderess, is known to have made three visits recently to the McQuilligan home and tried to induce the mother and daughter to accompany her and help house cleaning. The mother went, but the daughter, not being well, did not go. On Saturday last Mrs. Halliday again appeared at the McQuilligan home and told Sarah her mother had been hurt by a fall and wished her to go back with her (Halliday) to care for her. The girl consented. On Monday the father started to find his wife and daughter, but failed and returned home.

The St. Leger.

London, Sept. 6.—The race for the St. Leger stakes at Doncaster to-day was won by Isinglass, which won the Derby; Ravensbury second, Lenicham third.

AMERICAN MONEY MARKET.

Much Brighter Outlook in all Lines on Wall Street.

New York, Sept. 5.—Irregularity marked the course of prices at the stock exchange during the first hours of business. The opening was rather ragged, some stocks showing advances, others a serious decline. The reactionary tendency in certain parts of the list was due to selling by holders, who were of the opinion that Saturday's advance was entirely too rapid to hold. Considerable stock came from this quarter, resulting, as is stated, in a sort of halting speculation. The offerings were absorbed about midday, however, when it was seen that notwithstanding the outpouring of stocks, the impression made on values was unimportant. What made this all the more significant was that the market held its own in the face of the unfavorable August statements of the St. Paul, Louisville & Nashville and Denver & Rio Grande. So far as the heavy decrease was made by the St. Paul and Louisville & Nashville and a few of the minor roads, no official explanation was made, and the falling off is due to causes which have been operating against them. The market, however, proved superior to poor railway earnings and to selling by conservative holders, and in the afternoon fairly boomed. To the surprise of the bears and those who have been predicting, prices bounded up 1-2 per cent. at a time in some instances. The gain was most pronounced in stocks recently alleged to have been in danger of receivers. Chief of these, General Electric was conspicuous. The stock rose from 42 3-8 to 47 1-2, with a difference of 3-4 per cent. between sales. Sugar to 90 1-2; cotton oil preferred, 3-4 to 70; Burlington & Quincy, 4 1-4 to 87; Chicago gas, 7 1-4 to 63 3-4; Lackawanna, 2 1-8 to 139 1-2; do preferred, 6 to 110; Louisville & Nashville, 21 1-2 to 58 1-2; Missouri Pacific, 4 1-4 to 28 1-2; Reading 2 5-8 to 20 5-8; Western Union, 21 1-2 to 83 1-4. In some quarters the rise was due to purchases by bears, who desired to limit their losses. The great factor is the great change for the better in the monetary situation, which has brought much relief to the bears, who are accordingly disposed to take new engagements. They were in receipt of orders to-day from the west, where the stringency in money had also a bad effect in financial transactions. The market was firm. Total sales, 351,344 shares. Closing bids: Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, 21 3-4; Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, 86 1-4; Canada Southern, 47 1-4; Canadian Pacific, 73 1-2 Central Pacific, 22 1-2; Erie, 15 1-2; Wells Fargo, 125; Great Northern preferred, 108; Missouri Pacific, 27 1-2; Northern Pacific, 7 3-4; Northern Pacific preferred, 24 7-8; Oregon Navigation, 43; Oregon Improvement, 10; Pacific Mail, 14; Reading, 109 3-4; Southern Pacific, 20; Texas Pacific, 6 3-4; Union Pacific, 24 1-2.

Peary's Expedition.

St. Johns, Nfld., Sept. 5.—Lieutenant Peary's Arctic exploring steamer Falcon arrived here to-day. She left Peary with his party all well at the head of Bowdoin Bay, North Greenland, Aug. 20th. Peary had at that time 20 dogs, 20 tons of walrus meat and 11 deer.

No Money for Deportation.

Los Angeles, Sept. 5.—In the United States district court, Judge Ross, in the matter of Chum Shang Yuen, a Chinaman arrested under section 6 of the eary act, gave his decision to the following effect. That, although he had received official information from Attorney-General Olney, on behalf of the United States government, that there were no funds to execute the Geary law, so far as the same provides for the deportation of Chinamen who have not procured certificates of residence, the court maintained that such information only referred to that particular part of the act relating to deportation, and that as Congress had made appropriations for the execution of the act generally, such distinction as was attempted to be drawn between the different references was, in his judgment, without authority of law, and his duty obligd him to disregard it. He further stated that, as Chum Shang Yuen, the defendant, is, and was at the time of the passage of the Geary act, a Chinese laborer, residing in this state, and who had failed to register in accordance with the provisions of the sixth section of said act, and had attempted to show no excuse therefor, the court found accordingly, and ordered that the said Chinaman be deported. Applications for over 100 warrants were made subsequently to the decision being rendered.

Young Hambrough's Death.

London, Sept. 4.—Public interest in the case of young Hambrough, the son of a major in the British army, has been renewed by the exhuming of his body at Ventnor, Isle of Wight. Hambrough was shot while hunting near Loch Fyne last week. His life was insured in a New York company and the inquiries made by the agents of the company caused the Scotch authorities to make an investigation. The result was that the body was disinterred to-day. The fact that the fatal wounds were in the back of the head and the additional fact that the shot which had inflicted the wounds had come from the gun of his friend Munson, a cousin of the Irish viceroy, Lord Houghton, who was his companion at the time of the shooting, led to a suspicion that the death was not accidental. After the body had been exhumed the head was photographed before and after being dissected. The father of Mr. Hambrough, who was present at he exhumation, said that his son's life was insured in two policies of £10,000 each. These policies had been assigned to Mrs. Munson. Mr. Hambrough expressed the opinion that his son had been the victim of foul play. The post mortem examination made by a coroner showed that young Hambrough's hair was not singed, as would have been the case if he had accidentally shot himself, and the inference is therefore drawn that the fatal shots were fired from a distance. A crowd of ghouls waited at the cemetery throughout the night, eager to witness the exhumation of the body, but they were rigorously excluded from the cemetery.

Swan Talks About Emin.

London, Sept. 5.—Rev. A. J. Swan, the Ujiji missionary, who yesterday made public an account of Emin Pasha's death, said in an interview this morning: "I am unable to give all the actual incidents of Dr. Emin's death. The narrative made public by me yesterday contained about all the details of the murder as I learned them. The immediate cause of the Arab hostility to Emin was their belief that he had hanged summarily six Arabs at the Stanley end of Victoria Nyanza because they refused to barter with him. This story was never denied and was accepted as true even by the Europeans. When Emin was murdered he was separated from his caravan and was travelling with thirty Nubian followers towards the east coast in order that he might avoid the eastern Arabs, who he knew were on his track. He had passed through Banda and he followed a branch of the Congo until he arrived at Said Bin Abed's. There was no fighting at the time of the murder The incident was of the briefest duration. The actual murderer was a young Arab with whom I was personally acquainted. He is a son of Dr. Livingstone's old Arab friend, whom the whites in the region around the lake call "Old Tanganyika." Beyond doubt Emin's body was eaten, as were those of his followers. Their heads were stuck on poles and were paraded about, as is the custom among the Manyemas. These people are notorious canibals; in fact, they will eat anything human. During my sojourn in Ujiji we lost a Belgian member of the European colony. All search for him was futile. We learned nothing of his fate until a Belgian party found the fingers of a European in a Manyema "wokpot." Inquiry showed that the Manyemas had kidnapped him and killed him. A Belgian force at once raided the Manyemas' country, routed the Arabs and destroyed the Manyema village where their comrade had been eaten.

General Dispatches.

London, Sept. 5.—Advices from various parts of the country show that large numbers of striking coal miners are returning to work at the owners' terms. The strikers at Mauvers made a disorderly demonstration yesterday and a large force was required to subdue it. There were serious disorders at the Derbyshire coal mines, Chesterfield, England, Monday. Strikers drove new men out by force. The police are making preparations for trouble at other places.

London, Sept. 5.—A shop on Fulham road took fire yesterday. The blazing stairways prevented people working in the building from escaping. Some jumped from the upper windows and were crushed on the pavement, while others fell back into the flames. The firemen rescued several. Five persons perished.

Vienna, Sept. 5.—Letters from Moscow say that eighty-five students, eight professors and five women of rank have been arrested there on suspicion that they were implicated in a Nihilist plot against the czar's life.

Belfast, Sept. 5.—At the trades union congress in Ulster hall this orning Samuel Munro, the new president, spoke at length concerning the labor question in the United Kingdom. He believed, he said, that trades unionism was destined to be an honored institution in freeing Ireland from the terrible incubus of religious bigotry and political influence. He denounced strikes as criminal folly in all cases where the resources of civilization had not been exhausted in efforts to avoid the use of such extreme measures. He also spoke of strikes as the forlorn hope of the working people. He expressed hope that the result obtained by the social labor commission from their investigations would be crystallized in a question of arbitration which would make industrial warfare far more infrequent than it now is.

Washington, Sept. 5.—Germany's first ambassador to the United States, Baron von Saurma Jeltzsch, presented his credentials to the president yesterday. The ambassador was accompanied by the secretary of the German embassy, Baron Kettler. The two diplomats were resplendent in gold lace and both carried swords.

San Francisco, Sept. 5.—Claus Spreckels starts east to-morrow, first going to Chicago and thence to Washington city. In an interview to-day he states that he intends to do all he can in Washington city against annexation at present. He is in favor of a protectorate which might ultimately lead to annexation.

Jersey City, Sept. 5.—Bacteroological examination having proved that Mrs. Josephine Smith did not die of Asiatic cholera, Crowe's case stands the only one so far known in the city. The quarantine was raised at midnight. No new suspects or developments. It is unknown where Crowe contracted his fatal attack, but the disease is genuine.

San Francisco, Sept. 5.—The bark Colusa, sugar laden from Kahului, is now out 41 days and is 20 days overdue. Her cargo is worth $200,000. There is considerable uneasiness about her non-appearance.

San Francisco, Sept. 5.—John Austin, postmaster at Agua Caliente, Sonoma county, was arrested to-day for opening other persons' letters, and also detaining them in his office instead of delivering when called for by owners.

New York, Sept. 5.—A special from Washington to the Daily America says that the president will ask congress to authorize the coinage of silver bullion in the treasury. This amounts to $52,000,000. The coinage of this would be sufficient to make up the deficit that now threatens the treasury.

Murdered for Her Money.

Seattle, Sept. 5.—About 8 last night an old woman of 80, Charlotte Fetting, had her brains beaten out with an iron stove lid, and her little trunk was robbed of the savings of herself and son for years, $700 in gold coin. Yesterday evening at 7 o'clock her son, Ernest Fetting, and James King left the little shack. When they returned at 1 o'clock this morning they found the door unlocked and partly open, while on the floor, between the low bed and a small cook stove standing in the centre of the room, lay the poor old woman. Her face was turned sideways, pressing against the oven door. It was a mass of clotted blood, while her gray hair streamed in tangled bloody strings over her shoulders. Several large gashes were visible, but were filled with clotted blood. In her mouth was stuffed a large cotton handkerchief, and a strap passing across the handkerchief and under the chin formed a perfect gag. She was in her night dress, which was of white cotton, and not och disarranged. The little room had been simply turned upside down, and not a thing was left in place. The garments hanging on the wall had been torn down, the trunk had been emptied, the chairs had all been overturned, and there was ample evidence of a terrible struggle.

Rifle cartridges, loaded shot shells at Shore's hardware store, 57 Johnson street.

Duty on Malaga Grapes.

Washington, Sept. 5.—Yesterday witnessed the beginning of the hearings by the ways and means committee of representatives of protected industries preparatory to framing the new tariff bill. Representatives of the potato and onion growers of the Bermuda Islands were present and asked for a reduction of the duty on these articles, on the ground that they are almost prohibitive; and they do not compete with native products, coming in before the latter, and because Bermuda buys much more than it sells. The next to be heard was an importer of Malaga grapes, who asked for a reduction to a specific duty of 25 cents per barrel. These grapes grow no place else in the world, although grapes similar in kind are grown in California. The difficulty is that the California grape does not keep well, so that in the months of January and February the Malaga grape is the only grape on sale in this country. About 250,000 barrels of these grapes are annually imported. The revenue amounted to $150,000. The importer said he did not advocate placing these grapes on the free list, as he believed these importations should pay a fair and equitable tribute to this country. Were grapes put on the free list, however, he did not think the domestic product would suffer. If the duty was reduced or the grapes placed on the free list the importation would increase to 400,000 barrels. Were the importation to increase to this point, the price per barrel would decrease 50 cents per barrel on account of the larger supply, and grapes would be placed within reach of many people now debarred. He denied that the retail price of these grapes had ruled lower since the passage of the McKinley law. The committe then adjourned until to-morrow when representatives of cement and silk culture will have a hearing.

Mr. Joseph Hemmerton

An old soldier, came out of the War greatly enfeebled by **Typhoid Fever,** and after being in various hospitals the doctors discharged him, as incurable with **Consumption.** He has been in poor health since, until he began to take

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Immediately his cough grew looser, night sweats ceased, and he regained good general health. He cordially recommends Hood's Sarsaparilla, especially to comrades in the G. A. R.

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at its next session, for an Act to revive, continue and extend the time within which the Victoria, Saanich and New Westminster Railway Company, incorporated in the session of 1891, may construct its works and for other purposes.

By order of Provisional Directors.

A. DECOSMOS,
President V. S. & N. W. Ry. Co.
Victoria, B. C., July 10, 1893. 110-tf

Municipal Act 1892.

NOTICE

I hereby give notice that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria for a transfer from myself to George Schmitz, of the said city, of the license now held by me to sell beer, wines and porter with meals at the restaurant (formerly Steitz's), No. 54 Yates street, in the City of Victoria aforesaid.

July 15, 1893. O. C. FOX.

FARM FOR SALE.

A FARM OF TWO HUNDRED ACRES ON West Saanich road, about eight miles from Victoria. Sixty acres good bottom land, sixty acres cleared, well ditched and fenced. Price $30 per acre; half cash, balance on time. Apply to GEORGE LINDSAY, 42 Third street, Victoria.

INFORMATION FURNISHED ABOUT THE KOOTENAY COUNTRY

The publishers of THE MINER will answer any inquiries in regard to the general outlook and future prospects of the Kootenay Country to subscribers. If you want to start in business in any of the cities, they will advise you about the population and the prospects for any particular or general line of trade.

The subscription price of THE MINER, a 12 page weekly journal, is $2.00 per year. It is the oldest established paper in the district.

THE MINER PRINTING & PUBLISHING CO.
NELSON, B. C.
(Mention this paper.)

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described tract of land: Commencing at post S. E. marked "W. D. Morgan," planted on the east shore of Reed Island, opposite Reed Rocks, Islands, thence west 80 chains, thence north 100 chains, thence east to shore, thence along shore to point of commencement, containing 1000 acres more or less.

W. D. MORGAN.

Victoria, August 18, 1893. Aug 19 to

Royal Agricultural and Industrial Society of B.C.

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And Grand

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$15,000 Prizes

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To decide Provincial Championship. The most important cycling event ever held in the Province.

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Which will include Indian Races in War Canoes.

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In which a large number of the best Axemen in the Province will take part. This competition is open to all comers, and handsome gold medals will be awarded the winners.

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Victoria vs. Westminster. Also Junior Lacrosse Tournament for Championship trophy.

Rugby and Association Football Matches, Sailors' Sports, Field Sports, Rifle Matches, Grand Ball and Promenade Concerts.

The Westminster City Band and other Bands will be present and dispense music throughout the Exhibition-Celebration.

EXCURSION RATES have been secured over all Railway and Steamboat Lines for visitors and for freight rates on exhibits.

A. B MACKENZIE,
General Secretary.

T. J. TRAPP,
President R. A. & I. Society.

D. S. CURTIS, Mayor,
Chairman Celebration Committee.

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of Consumers of Water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to Section 12 of the "Waterworks Regulation By-Law, 1885," which provides that

From the first day of April to the 13th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Waterworks shall use such water for irrigating or street sprinkling, except during the hours between 5 o'clock in the evening and 9 o'clock in the following morning, and on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

In Central Ward, on Mondays and Thursdays;

In South Ward, on Tuesdays and Fridays; and

In North Ward, on Wednesday and Saturdays.

And the water of the said Waterworks shall not be used for irrigating or street sprinkling outside the limits of the said City.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria B.C., June 5th, 1893.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners, to be held on the second Wednesday of September next, application will be made to the Board that the temporary permission granted on the 20th June last by the Mayor, under the authority of section 221, of the Municipal Act, 1892, for the transfer from William McHugh to William O'Connor of the retail liquor license issued under subsection 1 of section 204 of the aforesaid act, to William McHugh, for the premises known as the Victoria Hotel, situated on the south-east corner of Douglas and Fort streets, in the city of Victoria, may be ratified and extended, and that the said license may be transferred to William O'Connor.

Dated this 4th day of August, 1893, at the city of Victoria.

WM. MCHUGH.

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Removed to larger premises, at 10 Blanchard corner of Bay street. Applicants please apply at the Home, or Mrs. Higgins, Cadboro Bay Road, or Mrs. Plummerfelt, Gorge Road.

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1 House, full sized lot, fenced, close to tram; only $550; cash $150; balance on easy terms at 7 per cent.; cheap.

1 House and Lot, Craigflower Road, only $750; cash $100; balance at 8 per cent., easy terms.

Acre Blocks, $250; 1 acre Blocks at $300; easy terms.

50 acres of good Land, 2 miles from city, railway crosses it; very cheap, $50 per acre.

100 acres of good land; 9 miles from city; very cheap, $25 per acre.

100 acres, improved; 13 heifers, 5 pigs, 4 doz. chickens, 1 horse, 1 cottage, woodshed, stable, chicken house, etc.; $8000 good terms.

99 acres, Cobble Hill, fine improved farm, $4,800.

200 acres, Cobble Hill, improved; $3,000, very easy terms.

62 acres, Cadboro Bay, 4 miles from P. O., under cultivation, with improvements costing $7,000; land $500 per acre; improvements $4,000; good terms.

Kaslo lots, in good position, cheap. I

Several good Houses to Rent.

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5 Store Street Opposite Railway Station

CHAS. HAYWARD

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Government street Victoria.

NOTICE

Johnson Street from Chambers Street eastward will be closed until further notice.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next session of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia for an act to incorporate a company to construct, equip, maintain and operate a line of railway from some point on the gulf of Georgia, in Delta Municipality, thence by the most feasible route to the city of New Westminster, with power to construct a branch line extending from some point in Delta Municipality in an easterly direction through the municipalities of Surrey, Langley and Matsqui to a point at or near Abbottsford.

Dated the 26th day of August, 1893.

BODWELL & IRVING,
Solicitors for the Applicants.

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NO. 205.

A BY-LAW

To Authorise Certain Expenditures.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

1. In addition to the amounts mentioned in by-law No. 196, entitled the "Municipal Revenue By-Law, 1893," it shall be lawful for the Treasurer to pay such sums of money as may be authorized from time to time by resolution of the Council of the Corporation, as are set forth in requisitions which have been properly recommended and approved, and for which warrants have been authorised by the Council to be issued for the services mentioned in the statements lettered D and H, and Votes No. 22 23, 27 A and 59, respectively, hereto annexed:

Providing that before making the payment the Auditor has marked his initials against the total amount of the voucher to certify to its correctness and that the Council have authorized the payment, and that the sums paid and authorised are not in each case in the aggregate in excess of the sum named in the above votes and statements.

Sec. 2. This by-law may be cited as the Municipal Expenditure By-Law, 1893.

Passed the Municipal Council the 23rd day of August, 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Council this 28th day of August, 1893.

(L.S.) ROBERT BEAVEN,
Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

IV.—CITY INSTITUTIONS,—Maintenance.

No. of Vote	Statement D.		Total
22	Fire Department— Repairs..... $350 00 Harness and Clothing..... 50 00		$400 00
23	Library— For all purposes.....		200 00
27 A	Sewerage— For the construction of flush tanks and fitting syphons for the purpose of flushing sewers in use		2,500 00
			$3,100 00

VIII.—EDUCATION.

No. of Vote	Statement H.	
59	Education— Balance payable to the Provincial Government for salaries of teachers in the public schools to 30th, June, 1893.....	$930 39

AUCTION SALES.

SECOND AND LAST

UNRESERVED SALE!

—OF—

..Oil Paintings..

Mostly by the hands of MONS. LOEMANS, who is returning to Paris.

Paintings are now on view at 69 Government Street, from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

Sale FRIDAY, Sept. 8, at 2.30 p.m.

JOSHUA DAVIES,
Auctioneer.
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EX STEAMER MICHIGAN

H. CUTHBERT & CO., Auctioneers,

are instructed by J. C. Prevost, Esq., to sell by

AUCTION

on the Wharf, James Bay on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, AT 11 A.M.

the whole of the

Machinery, Engines, Sails, Etc.,

Saved by the steamer Mascotte from the wreck of the above named steamer Michigan, comprising: 1 pr. surface condensing triple expansion engines, with cylinders, 11 in., 13 in., 18 in. and 23 in. by 24 in. stroke; 1 upright tubular donkey boiler, 3 ft. 6 in. diameter by 6 ft. 6 in. high, as is; one steam wench with cylinder, 6 inches by 9 inches; two large anchors; feed and bilge pumps; two large chains, 45 fathoms each; 1 large water tank, 1 hand capstan, 1 large iron davit, 2 pr. boat do 1 double acting deck pump, steering wheels and chains, lot of iron cleats, mooring posts, chain plates, hawse pipes, steam valves, engine and boiler fittings, iron tanks, mainsail, foresail, jib, wire rigging, iron safe, 5 iron wheelbarrows, 5 iron trucks, a number of dead lights and blocks, etc., etc., as they lie on the wharf, James Bay.

The whole of the above will be offered in one lot, and subject to a duty of 30 per cent. on auction price.

Terms Spot Cash.

For further particulars and to view, apply at the wharf, or to

HERBERT CUTHBERT,
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30 MICHIGAN STREET,

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HERBERT CUTHBERT & CO., AUCTIONEERS

are instructed to sell by

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, AT 2 P.M.,

The Whole of her Valuable and Well Kept Furniture, Comprising:

IN PARLOR—Elegant stuff over drawing room suite, 3 pieces, upholstered in silk brocatelle; 3 walnut tables with marble slabs oak rocker, upholstered in blue plush; hand painted mirror, oil paintings, lace curtains, tripods and stands, screen, moquet carpet.

IN HALL—Brussels carpet, stair ditto, lamp, etc., etc.

IN DINING ROOM—Polished oak dining table, 4 leaves; polished oak sideboard, with bevelled glass; 6 chairs en suite, in leather; very fine Brussels carpets, lace curtains, ornamental items, electro-plated ware, hanging lamp, etc., etc.

IN THREE BEDROOMS—One massive polished oak bed set with carved decorations and finely marked panels; 1 solid walnut ditto with carved decorations; 1 ash bed set, 3 box mattresses, 3 toilet services, Brussels, Kidderminster and wool carpets, blinds, curtains, etc.

IN KITCHEN—Fine Jubilee cooking range, tables and chairs, crockery, stove, furniture, wash tubs, etc.; also tools and lawn mower.

The whole of the above are nearly new and in excellent condition.

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Most Valuable and Desirable Properties Ever Offered in Victoria.

I am instructed by the assignees of the estate of A. J. Smith, with the concurrence of the mortgagees, to sell by Public Auction in my Auction Room,

40 YATES ST.,

At 12 o'clock noon, on

THURSDAY, SEPT. 7

—ALL THE—

REAL ESTATE

Property belonging to the estate, and situated on Birdcage Walk, Superior St., and Michigan St., with

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To Wear in Wet Weather?

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CANADIAN DISPATCHES

The News of Eastern Canada in Short Paragraphs.

The C. P. R. earnings for the week ending August 31 were $589,000; for the sae week last year they were $580,000.

On Monday Hon. Mr. Kirkpatrick, the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, formally opened Toronto's great annual industrial exhibition. It promises to be the most successful ever held.

Real estate dealers in Toronto report an unusual demand for houses, occasioned by the large number of mechanics and other Canadians returning from the United States owing to lack of work.

Mrs. Row, of Belleville, has issued a writ against her husband, Sydney Row, a prominent and well-to-do farmer, asking for alimony. The parties have been married about twelve years, and have two children.

Hon. Mackenzie Bowell has written to J. J. Cassidy, secretary of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, announcing his unavoidable sudden departure for Australia in connection with trade matters, and requesting any Canadian manufacturers who may desire to extend trade in this direction to send him catalogues and price lists immediately.

AMERICAN NEWS NOTES

Daily Chronicle of Events in The Great Republic.

Tionesta, Penn., Sept. 6.—The second annual reunion of ex-inebriates who have been rescued by the Keeley treatment was inaugurated here to-day with a monster basket picnic, the participants being graduates from all parts of this state. The reunion of the national organization will be held in Chicago next week and most of the delegates to the present gathering will also represent their local clubs in the World's Fair city.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 6.—The tenth annual St. Louis exposition was opened to-day with impressive ceremonies and will continue until October 21. The present exhibition is the most elaborate and extensive that has been held since the series was inaugurated, and in connection with the illuminations and other attractions of the autumnal festivities association is expected to be no mean rival of the World's Fair.

Laporte, Ind., Sept. 6.—Bishop Noyce to-day convened the annual meeting of the Northwest Indiana conference of the Methodist church. Besides the transaction of routine business the gathering will be addressed by many speakers of national reputation, and plans will be laid for an energetic campaign of home missionary work during the coming year. Among the celebrities already present ar Chaplain McCabe and Dr. Payne of New York, Dr. Spencer of Philadelphia, J. C. Hartsell of Cincinnati and D. H. Moore, editor of the Western Christian Advocate.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—The annual competitive literary and musical festival of the Welsh race, known as the Eisteddfod, was opened to-day in Festival hall, and will continue for four days. A short business session was held yesterday. The first competitions took place this morning, and were participated in by the London Cymro-Torian Society, the Grand Bardic Order of Great Britain and the National Eisteddfod Association.

High Heel Shoes.

A vagary of fashion still somewhat tolerated is the high shoe heel. It is interesting to learn from the Hospital that this libel upon nature is of ancient origin, and that its use, once vauable and needed, has been perverted into an inartistic and unsanitary service.

"In Persia, the first home of the high heel, blocks of wood were used simply to 'raise the feet from the burning sands of that country, and were about two inches high.' With the Persian women these blocks were vastly higher than those affected by men, their height being from eighteen inches to two feet, thus becoming more of the nature of stilts than anything else. Strangely enough, many years after a similar fashion came into vogue in Venice; but the motive in this case was comically different, for 'by its means jealous husbands thought they would be able to keep their wives at home.' The supports of such shoes in Venice were called 'chapineys,' and to appease the vanity of the ladies, and doubtless also to sugar the pill, were made highly ornate. The height of these chapineys determined the rank of the wearer—an extra coating for the pill—the noblest dames being permitted to wear them one-half yard or more high.

"If It's a Fight Yer Wants ——."

A very good story is going round with regard to the parliamentary fight, and its accuracy is vouched for by a London correspondent of the Leeds Mercury. A member of parliament was a passenger on one of the west end 'busses on Friday, and asked the conductor to let him down at a point outside the House of Commons, whre omnibusses, for the better convenience of members of parliament crossing the road into Palace Yard, are not allowed to stand. The conductor accordingly refused to stop, whereupon the member, who of course was not known, as such, became rather indignant, and insisted upon the horses being pulled up in order to allow him to dismount. The conductor bore his ill-tempered complaints for a moment or two, and then suddenly silenced him with the crushing retort, "Look here, mister, if it's fight yer wants, cut across to the House of Commons." The conductor was just a little astonished when he discovered that he had made his admirable suggestion to an actual member of that illustrious assembly.

Binder Twine Trust.

New York, Sept. 6.—Great interest is manifested in financial circles in the report of the receiver for the defunct cordage trust, this being the last day that he was allowed in which to prepare his resume of the condition of the company's affairs. Arrangements are now almost complete for the reorganization of the concern under the presidency of its former enemy, John Good, who will give up his attitude as an independent manufacturer and become head of the rehabilitated combine. The price of twine, which has fallen to 8 1-2 cents, is rapidly recovering, and the rise of two cents, which is contemplated by the reorganized trust, will mean a net gain to them of some three million dollars. Among the concerns that will probably pool interests with the trust are William Deering & Co. of Chicago, D. W. Osborne & Co. of Ashburn, F. S. Gannon of New York, the Tubbs Cordage Co. of California, the Northwestern Cordage Co. of St. Paul, the Peoria Cordage Co. of Peoria, Ill., the Mainsburg Co. of Mainsburg, O., the Bridgewater Cordage Co., of Philadelphia, Travers Bros. of New York, Ludlow Bros. of Boston, the Bay State Cordage Co. of Boston, and the J. L. Bailey Co. of Philadelphia.

Professor Campbell's Heresy.

Montreal, Sept. 6.—As a result of the trial of Professor John Campbell, of the Montreal Presbyterian College, it is probable that another eminent scholar and divine will be expelled from the Presbyterian fold. In its essential points the case is an almost exact counterpart of its predecessors in the United States, those of Dr. Briggs and Prof. Henry Smith. The indictment, which was formulated at a meeting of the Presbytery held several weeks ago, charges the professor with being guilty of heresy, first in holding and teaching a view of the holy scriptures which impugns and discredits them as the supreme and infallible source of religious truth; and second, a view of God which sets him forth as one who does not smite either by way of punishment or discipline, and who has nothing to do with the judgment or punishment of the wicked. The outcome of the proceedings is a foregone conclusion, as the Presbytery is almost a unit against the professor's views. An appeal will be taken to the general assembly, and if that body also condemns him his only course will be to resign his professorship and leave the church.

The Japanese Stage.

The greatest Japanese actor of modern times is Ichikawa Danjuro, and he is usually regarded as one of the greatest ornaments that the Japanese stage has ever possessed. A new play, in which he takes the leading part, has lately been produced in the principal theatre in Tokio, and has excited intense interest throughout the country.

A correspondent who recently had an interview with him communicates to a Yokohama journal some interesting remarks of the great actor on the art of acting. In reply to an expression of surprise at his power in personating a villain whose acts were abhorrent to him, Danjuro answered that a distinction made between Danjuro at home and Danjuro on the stage. "An actor can, I think, play his part properly only by putting his whole soul into the character he personates, and therefore, when on the stage, so far am I from lacking in sympathy with the villain, as you suppose, that probably I become as great a villain as he ever aspired to be." In reference to a remark on the time that must be spent in studying an entirely new play, he said that in Japan dress rehearsals were unknown. We generally assemble perhaps a dozen times in a room at the rear of the theatre, and there recite our respective parts in the order in which they are spoken on the stage, and that is about all the rehearsal we have," and even at these, it appears, he is seldom or never present. He said that his practice had always been to devote his time mostly to studying the times and circumstances associated with the play, and particularly in obtaining an insight into the inner feelings of the characters he is to represent. "I find when I have mastered these that the words come almost naturally, and hence for me a single perusal of a play is often sufficient." This sometimes leads to his sentences not being in the exact form of the author, and complaints have been made of this. "However, the habit, or failing, as perhaps some would term it, is so deeply engrafted in me that I cannot change it nor either to suit authors or those of my fellow-professionals who are, I hear, at times put out by my not strictly adhering to the wording of a speech."

He was amused to be told that there was some resemblance between his features and those of Mr. Irving, and said he heard this for the first time. He observed that he was able to personate characters of all ranks, callings, or ages, and of both sexes, with the single exception of a wrestler, which is a part he has never been able to play. Speaking of the part of a young lady of seventeen, which he is at present playing as an interlude, he said: "I am attempting too much. You must have observed how fatigued I am. In representing the young lady the skin on my face has to be stretched to the utmost limit of its elasticity to hide the wrinkles. My face has to be treated in the same way as a dyer stretches a piece of silk which he sets out in the sun to dry. The deceptions we have to resort to in our art have become very much more difficult to perfect since the introduction of gas, electric light, and, above all, the opera glass. Still, a young lady is a young lady, and I can submit myself to this ordeal and act and dance as a damsel would, but to mimic the gambols of a lion has proved too much for me. It is not a dance to be attempted by a person much over thirty, and being now fifty-six, I mean to abide by the announcement I made at the beginning, and this will be the last public exhibition I shall make of a dance of this kind."—London Times.

Queer Ways of Pushing Debtors.

Some nations adopt most eccentric methods for impressing upon debtors the heinousness of their transgression. When a gentleman in Russia has his portrait taken, and artlessly omits to pay the photographer for his work, the latter does not make any fuss about the matter. He simply hangs the likeness of that debtor upside down in a frame outside his studio, and everyone knows what it means. This singular method rarely fails to bring the delinquent to a sense of his duty as well as his indebtness. Persons who neglect to pay their income-tax at Cotta, in Saxony, have their names and addresses printed and posted in a conspicuous manner in every hotel and restaurant in that city, and until they settle their little account with the State the proprietors of the places mentioned are strictly forbidden to serve them with any kind of refreshment, under pain of losing their licenses. The Chinese are an astute race, and they exhibit this natural characteristic in a rather unpleasant fashion as regards some of their native defaulters. When a bank fails in China they cut off the heads of the bank's officials. This is a very effective measure, and the principle has acted so well that no bank in the Celestial Kingdom has failed for about 500 years.

Wife Selling in England.

Some faint recollection of Mr. Thomas Hardy's "Mayor of Casterbridge" may have been in the mind of the council for the defendant in case of assault upon a wife just heard before the West Riding magistrates at Leeds, England. The following colloquy took place between him and the woman who brought the action. "Were you living with another man the five years you were separated from your husband?" "No."—"You remember being in the public-house in Wakefield about three years ago with the defendant, another man, and your mother?" "Yes." "Did not your mother say it was clear that yourself and your husband could not live together, and suggest that you be given to the other man?" "No." "Did your mother not offer a shilling to have the bargain made, and suggest that a halter should be brought to have the transaction completed?" "No." "And is it not true that a halter was brought and that ten shillings was paid for you, and you were handed over to the man in question?" "Not at all." From this it is evident that whether or not the custom of selling one's wife in England has died out, a belief in its prevalence still exists.

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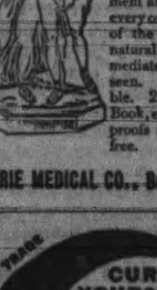

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	De. 8:00 A M	De. 3:00 P M	VICTORIA	Ar. 12:24 P M	Ar. 8:00 P M	78
1	8:04	3:06	RUSSELL'S	12:20	7:56	77
4	8:14	3:16	ESQUIMALT	12:10	7:46	74
11	8:38	3:36	GOLDSTREAM	11:45 A M	7:26	67
20	9:14	4:05	SUMMIT SIDING	11:10	6:56	58
25	9:34	4:27	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	10:50	6:37	53
31	9:44	4:37	COBBLE HILL	10:40	6:27	47
34	9:57	4:49	McPHERSON'S	10:27	6:15	44
38	10:07	4:59	KOKSILAH	10:17	6:05	40
40	10:13	5:04	DUNCAN'S	10:12	6:00	38
43	10:23	5:12	SOMENOS	10:03	5:52	35
48	10:48	5:29	CHEMAINUS	9:38	5:32	30
59	11:30	5:49	OYSTER BAY SIDG	9:15	5:13	19
73	Ar. 11:50	6 22	NANAIMO (Ar.)	De. 8:34	4 42	5
	De. 11:59		NANAIMO (De.)	Ar. 8:25		
78	Ar. 12:14 P M	Ar. 6:34	WELLINGTON	De. 8:10	De. 4:30	

ON FRIDAYS, SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a fare and a quarter, good for return not later than Sunday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for seven days, including day of issue.

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TIME TABLE NO. 21,

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For Plumper Pass Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender Island and Sidney Thursday at 7 o'clock.

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10 15 am	Lv	28	....Seattle....	82	Lv	3 00 am
1 30 pm	Lv	72	Pt. Townsend	38	Lv	11 45 pm
4 30 pm	Ar	110	...Victoria†...	MI	Lv	8 30 pm

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	Lv	45	..Kingston....	41	Lv	
3 00 am	Lv	49	.Port Gamble.	21	Lv	11 00 am
4 00 am	Lv	73	.Port Ludlow.	13	Lv	10 00 am
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All intending candidates must notify the Registrar on or before Sept. 19th, two weeks before the examination.

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Further particulars may be had from CHARLES NELSON, Sec.-Registrar. P.O. Box 58, Vancouver, B.C.

General Dispatches.

Redding, Cal., Sept. 6.—Quite a heavy shock of earthquake was felt here this morning about 8:15. It lasted about 4 seconds. The vibration was east and west.

Washington, Sept. 6.—Government receipts continue to run low; yesterday's were the lowest since the war, being only $79,000.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—Cornelius Vanderbilt's two sons arrived last night to spend a week at the fair. During their stay here they will live in their private car.

New York, Sept. 6.—Judge Lacome's circuit court this morning decided that five Chinamen who recently arrived from Havana, but who had been detained by immigration officers, are entitled to land. The Chinamen claim to be merchants.

London, Sept. 6.—The India council to-day again offered bills to the amount of 40,000,000 rupees. The highest tender was 15 3-16 pence. No allotment was made and the same amount will be offered by the council again next Wednesday.

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The Daily Times.

THE PEOPLE AT FAULT, NOT THE SYSTEM.

If there is any fault in our municipal system—if the aldermen elected last year to govern Victoria are not representative of the people, or if boodling or what is very near to it is beginning to obtain a foothold where only the highest integrity should be found—it is because the people as a whole do not take enough interest in civic affairs. The system is all right if wisely and honestly administered. Only the other day we heard a Government street property owner declaiming against the law that permitted men possessing real estate worth only $500 over incumbrances to sit as members of our city council. He would, he said, increase the property qualification to $5,000, when only citizens who had "something to lose," and who, consequently, would be deterred from increasing taxation, would be eligible for election. A mistake that our friend makes is in believing that the possession of real estate to the value of $5,000 qualifies a man personally for government, while the less fortunate individual, who owns houses and lands to the value of $500 only, is unfitted to discharge the duties of an alderman. This is a piece of ancient toryism which crops up whenever civic business is supposed to be getting into a tangle, and especially when the rate of taxation is increased or the pinch of hard times makes the payment of taxes more difficult than usual. The possession of money does not give a man brains.

Municipal reform is a subject which has been much discussed in the pages of British and American publications during the last two years. Among the latest contributions is one in the September Forum on the experiences of Brooklyn, N. Y., under a reformed system. Municipal politics in many of the large cities of the United States had brought to the front the boodlers and party bosses, all of whom were not poor men, and as a result enormous corruption prevailed. Brooklyn was one of the first cities to adopt a reform, and for years that city's charter has been looked upon as a model one. Its mayor is vested with almost absolute power and is responsible for the government of the city. The head of the finance department (called the comptroller) and the auditor are elected, but the heads of all other departments are appointed by the mayor, who can suspend any official pending an investigation. He has also the right of veto, subject to a two-thirds majority. This new ordinance came into force in January, 1882, simultaneously with the election of an excellent mayor, who had the courage and integrity to administer the law in the spirit in which it had been conceived. For four years, up to 1886, the administration of the charter was in thorough harmony with the charter itself, and all over the United States Brooklyn had the reputation of being a model city. Then came indifferent and worse than indifferent mayors, and to-day this writer in the Forum feels compelled to defend the system against the charge of failure and to explain the decay in the municipal respectability of the city. He says:

"In the interest of political science at large, it is important that there be not drawn a false conclusion as to the working of the capital feature of the charter of Brooklyn. For that feature is of the first importance in the progress of municipal reform; it is probably an essential condition of the reform. The praises of the charter of Brooklyn, which were so unstinted when Seth Lowe was mayor, are no less deserved to-day than they were then. The charter has not broken down, as some seem to suppose. On the contrary, it is working to-day with an almost perfect success. A city is not administered by its charter, but by its mayor and other officers under its charter, which, except as they use it, is quite useless. In such a paper's instrument originating force. The evils in the present administration of Brooklyn demonstrate the power for harm which, under its charter, is possessed by the chief magistrate unworthily subservient to secret and dangerous influence. In that demonstration is made perfectly plain the corresponding power for good under the charter which belongs to a chief magistrate who will not betray the authority confided in him in trust. It is the merit of the present charter of Brooklyn that it enables its citizens with almost entire certainty to fix the place of official responsibility for bad administration, to single out the guilty, and, if they will, to reform the administration and punish the culprit easily and promptly. Among a free and intelligent people surely no higher praise can be awarded to the mere framework of government."

As a contemporary, the Winnipeg Free Press, says, "any system of municipal government will answer if honestly administered." The Brooklyn system, which gives almost autocratic power to the mayor, will be successful just as long as the mayor is honest and competent. In short, it comes to this, that no matter what system prevails, it still remains for the people to do their duty by placing men in office who are able and honest, it matters very little whether they are poor or rich. A wise autocrat, like the first mayor of Brooklyn under the new charter, will administer public affairs in the best interest of the community, but can a city obtain a wise autocrat always? The failure of Brooklyn is evidence that mistakes will be made, and when, as is the case under that city's charter, extraordinary power is placed in incompetent hands, the worst may be expected.

DANGEROUS AND DISGRACEFUL.

Public dissatisfaction with the condition of Government street, owing to the continual presence of hacks and carriages for hire on that thoroughfare, and the very unpleasant consequences that result therefrom, is daily becoming greater. The press has repeatedly drawn attention to this matter, but the only notice taken of these protests was one feeble but ineffectual attempt to cleanse the street of its shocking accumulations. Since that time, several weeks ago, nothing worth mentioning has been done to purify the spot; it has relapsed into its former condition of offensiveness to the olfactory and visual organs of all who traverse the street. If it be true that "cleanliness is next to godliness," strangers who visit Victoria and behold Government street reeking in all its glory, must carry away desperately poor impressions of this city's moral condition. If there is one evil in Victoria that calls aloud for remedial measures it is the equine cess pits on Government and Yates streets. The people have the abominable odors of it thrust under their noses every hour of the day; they complain, but nothing is done. The condition of the soil underlying the upper stratum on this street must be frightful. The liquid filth is not all, or nearly all, dried up by the sun, or absorbed into the surrounding atmosphere. A great part of it permeates the soil; saturates it for a considerable depth. Dangerous germs of disease are bred, fostered, set free to do their work of evil. There can be no gainsaying the fact that these inimical conditions have their effect upon public health. Flagrant violations of the commonest rules of hygiene, not to mention public decency, carry their own punishment. The city authorities are responsible for the protection of public health, and in tolerating for an hour the noisome "midden," for it is nothing else, on the main street of this city they are assuming grave responsibilities. "There is something rotten in the state" when month after month, year after year, so gross a blemish upon the city's reputation, and so grave a menace to public health, is allowed to exist. Ald. Anton Henderson, who was lately elected to the council board, has here an opportunity to render the city a benefit of a most substantial kind. Ald. Henderson is interested in the Victoria Transfer Company, and it is a fact that the carriages of that company compose the majority of those that daily stand on Government street. To be instrumental in sweeping away this nuisance calls for great public spirit, magnanimity and a willingness to make secondary in importance private to public interest. What a chance for Ald. Henderson. It is said that the smaller municipalities should, in so far as circumstances warrant, follow the example of the larger in matters concerning the proper management of the city. This same cab stand nuisance has engaged the attention of the corporations of the best governed cities in the world—Birmingham and Glasgow for example. In these towns the hacks and cabs are relegated to some street near the great thoroughfares, but not so near as to interfere in the slightest degree with general traffic. The spot where they stand is paved with square granite blocks, the cleaning of which takes place regularly every day, and is an easy matter. Everybody knows where the cab stand is, and there is no difficulty in obtaining a carriage.

The Brantford Courier says that Toronto is the worst governed city municipality in Canada. Possibly, but the Brantford scribe has no authority to speak for British Columbia cities.

Discussing the proposed changes in the department of marine and fisheries, the British Columbia Commercial Journal concludes by saying: "British Columbia has had too much Tupper, too much Smith and too much Wilmot, and the fervent prayer of all its people is: 'From all such, good Lord deliver us!' It scarcely need be said that the marine and fisheries people must pay more attention to the requirements of this province than has been their custom."

SCIENCE OF ADVERTISING.

The Times has arranged with Nath'l C. Fowler, jr., of Boston, for a series of articles on the science of advertising, the first of which appears in this issue. Mr. Fowler is a recognized authority on the subject, having made it a life-study and for many years being connected with large business firms in the east as advertising manager. His experience will be worth a good deal to the advertisers of Victoria and possibly, also, to a good many who are not, but who ought to be advertisers. Liberal advertisers may be induced to change their methods with advantage to themselves, while small, spasmodic advertisers may learn from Mr. Fowler that a thing that is worth doing occasionally is worth doing frequently. The articles are written for a syndicate of papers, of which the Times is one, and they will be a feature of our columns for several months. Possibly they will help to banish the dull season.

In the divisions on the repeal of the Sherman act every member of the United States House of Representatives took part. All of them voted in some of the divisions. The House consists, when full, of 356 members. There are two vacancies, by death. The whole 354 members were present. The largest number to vote in any one division was 352. This beats the record.

The Hamilton Spectator refers to the Irish village at the World's Fair as an "ostentatious anti-British aggregation of Fenians and Clan-na-Gael cut-throats." The Spectator is not a humorous paper; it is a good Conservative organ, intent on furthering the party's cause. The Governor-General, a Liberal, is one of the "cut-throats."

The official return of the voting in Toronto on the Sunday car question is: For Sunday cars, 13,128; against Sunday cars, 14,101. The majority of 973 in a city like Toronto is a very narrow one. It is lamentable to learn that there are so many sinners in Toronto.

The Central Trades and Labor Council of Montreal recently voted on the future of Canada. None voted for Imperial Federation; seven voted for the maintenance of the statu quo; only four for annexation, and all the rest for independence.

DEAD MEN'S BONES.

Ghastly Cargo of a Mysterious Atlantic Derelict.

New York, Sept. 6.—Had the prize crew of four which brought the abandoned Austrian bark Villa into port known the nature of the cargo in the hold they would have fled from the ship filled with a feeling of dread which could not have been greater had the Flying Dutchman appeared off the port bow. Below the decks of the derelict were stored in bulk thousands of human bones and skulls, which had been collected on the deserts of Africa.

The Villa passed through the latest storms which lashed the coast and tested the sea-going qualities of the stoutest vessels. The fate of her crew, including her gallant skipper, Captain George Stanos, may never be known. They left the ship nobody knows when, and not a scrap of paper was left behind which could convey the slightest intelligence as to the fate of the men. The craft was drifting when the prize crew went aboard. The cupboards and cabins had been looted of their contents. The sailors' clothing was gone, and even the bedclothes had been taken. By whom no one knows, but surely not by the Villa's crew. If abandoning their vessel (if abandon her they did) what use could they make of cumbersome articles of bedding and clothing?

The Villa was abandoned 150 miles off the American coast. To-day her hull is as good as when she was launched. Her top hamper is considerably wrecked; the mainmast is gone close to the deck and the topmasts on the fore and mizzen are gone. The crew had rigged a jury mast and an extemporized weathervane was fastened to the shattered cap of the foremast. The hull was in excellent condition and the broad hatches which concealed from view the ghastly cargo were securely battened down. Superstitious mariners say that the evil spirit followed the Villa when she sailed from the ancient port of Alexandria, Egypt, for in her cargo were the bones of a famous Arab chief, whose body, when once buried, his followers say, should not be disturbed; the vandals who desecrated his grave would be followed by the Arabian curse. The bones of the Arab chief were exposed by a simoon, and were carted with the bones of thousands of other unfortunates who had perished on the deserts and in combat, to the hold of the Villa.

The mysterious derelict was sighted on Wednesday last by Captain Nelson, of the S.S. Bredablik. His vessel was bound to this port in ballast. The sails on the derelict's foremast were spread to the breeze and she was bounding along at a lively rate, but not a soul was in sight and the wheel was unlashed. Suddenly the abandoned luffed up in the breeze, her yards rattled, the spread of canvas altered, and she was stationary. Captain Nelson sent a prize crew of four men aboard. They found the ship in a perfectly seaworthy condition. The hull was free from water. The bark was towed into port and now lies at anchorage in the harbor. When the hatches were opened and the grinning skulls met the eyes of the crew, they had no further desire to remain on board, and returned to their comfortable berths aboard the Bredablik.

Spilled the Circus.

Sacramento, Cal., Sept. 6.—About 1 o'clock this morning Sells & Renfrow's circus train was wrecked about one mile east of Grass Valley, on the Nevada county narrow gauge railroad. Andy Heist and a roustabout, name unknown, were killed and eight others injured, two fatally. The train was drawn by two engines and had just left Grass Valley when a car of horses immediately following the engine began a stampede. As the car was rounding the curve it was thrown from the track, together with the two engines and four cage cars. One containing the bears was smashed, the bears escaping to the woods. The animals were recaptured.

The killed and wounded are as follows: Andrew Hirst, colored boy, aged 17, taking free ride, killed; Hank Jones, circus property man, killed; Joseph Jones, canvasman, head smashed and wrist broken; Al. Crowell, groom, head smashed, ribs broken, arms badly bruised; Bill Spevins, cook, leg broken and serious internal injuries; Dan Coughlan, engineer, sprained about hip; Joseph Duffy, fireman, bruised about body. The engineers' and firemen's escape was miraculous. Their engines were turned upside down and they themselves thrown out. This is the first accident on the narrow gauge where life has been sacrificed.

Warning to Young Men.

Montreal, Sept. 6.—Louis E. Boiven was sentenced by Judge Desnoyers yesterday to one year's imprisonment for stealing from the C. P. R. The accused, who had been several years in the company's employ, occupied a position of trust in the freight department at Mile-End Station. Several small sums were found to be short, and the total sum he was accused of having stolen was $4,450. He was arrested by a detective and pleaded not guilty this morning. Boiven belongs to Quebec, where he is most respectably connected. In imposing sentence his honor remarked that the prisoner by his unlawful act had made himself liable to seven years in the penitentiary, and that, too, after having been warned and having seen an example made of another employee. Before the court were recommendations of the highest character and petitions for clemency signed by some of the best known men in Quebec. But on the other hand the company felt that they must allow justice to take its course, so his honor's duty was to temper justice with mercy and a sentence of one year's imprisonment was imposed.

Rumors of War From Hayti.

Kingston, Jamaica, Sept. 6.—Recent dispatches from Hayti say there are rumors of another revolution among the persons suspected of being connected with the last movement. A number are prominent.

Port Au Prince, Hayti, Sept. 6.—Suspects have been warned that if there be any uprising they will be seized and shot. A number of foreign residents, suspected of aiding the conspirators, were warned that they will be expelled unless they change their course of action. The depreciation of American silver is greatly affecting the financial condition of this country.

The Heliograph.

Captain Philip Reade, of the Third Infantry, United States Army, in a recent article on signalling by heliograph says:

Experiments with heliographs are very interesting. An astonishing feature of the experiments is the immense distance at which the flash can be seen. Signals from a mirror 4 1-2 inches in diameter are clearly visible without the aid of a telescope at 25 and 30 miles, while from mirrors of 8 and 12 inches, they are equally clear at 50, 80, and even 100 miles. Here, then, is an instrument giving any person of intelligence the power, after a few hours of instruction, of transmitting messages at a rapid rate in any direction and to any distance, limited only by the absence of opaque intervening obstacles and the curvature of the earth. The heliograph, is, in fact, a complete telegraph without batteries or wires, as portable as a rifle and of less weight. In case of seige the heliograph possesses one marked advantage over the electric telegraph. The latter is certain to be rendered useless by the destruction of the wire. The heliograph is liable to no such interruption. It is not many years since the most civilized countries had to depend entirely on visual telegraphy. Semaphores were then held in great esteem. The heliograph is superior to any semaphore. The utility of flags and torches for signal purposes is conceded, but they are limited in range, slow, laborious in manipulation, and can be used only in specially selected positions where they are exposed to the observation of foes as well as friends. In comparison with flags the heliograph excels in range, speed, ease of manipulation, secrecy, less liability to confusion and the capability of making itself seen. This last quality is deserving of consideration. In 1880 the United States coast and geodetic survey, while engaged in trigonometrical work, exchanged messages at night, over sixty-mile ranges, using the magnesium light in connection with the mirrors and instruments employed by the day for sun-signalling work. In 1889 Major W. J. Volkman, U.S.A., demonstrated in Arizona and New Mexico the possibilities of heliographing by operating two thousand miles of ranges. He was assisted by 33 officers and 129 operators, and 3,795 messages were exchanged, comprising 92,406 words. The network of communication in that Indian region, first begun by Gen. A. Miles, United States army, in 1886, and continued by Lieutenant W. A. Glassford, was perfected, three years later, at ranges of 85, 88, 95, and 125 miles, over a country, inconceivably rugged and broken, the stronghold of the Apache and other hostile Indians. Communication was for two weeks maintained between twenty-five heliograph stations in the territories named.

In India the British army employ the heliograph at the School of Army Signalling. It is also employed as an adjunct to other appliances by the United States signal corps. In June, 1861, the optical telegraph was employed by the federal forces in Hampton Roads to report the range of shells fired from the rip-raps upon the enemy's battery at Sewell's Point.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY P

T. TUGWELL CONVICTED.

For Selling Liquor to Wm. Shewan on Sunday and Fined $50.

Police Magistrate Macrae fined two Indians $5 and costs each for being drunk and ordered an Indian who had a bottle on his person to pay into the city coffers $25 or go to prison for one month. The fines were paid shortly afterwards by friends of the Siwashes.

Thomas Tugwell, proprietor of the Colonial Metropole, was charged with selling liquor Sunday. Sergeant Hawton swore that he saw liquor served over the counter and 50 cents passed to the bartender by one of the persons who drank. Tugwell, Shewan and another man were the persons at the bar. Whiskey was taken. Deputy Collector Smith proved the fact of Tugwell holding a retail liquor license. Shewan, bartender at the Queen's, stated that he drank whiskey at the Colonial Metropole. He was asked by a stranger whom he did not know. Cross-examined by Mr. Jay witness said that he returned from Seattle only a few hours before. Witness had been solicitor for the hotel but Tugwell told him after his return from Seattle that his services were no longer required. Bartender Boggs corroborated the statements of the previous witnesses. The stranger, witness said, was named Atkinson. A 25 cent piece was put on the counter, but witness said this money was for a bed, admitting that he supplied liquor to other persons Sunday. Mr. Jay claimed that legally speaking Shewan was a member of the family and was not discharged by Tugwell until the day following the sale. The court thought otherwise and fined Tugwell $50 and $2 costs. The magistrate also gave Chief Sheppard and Sergeant Hawton a pointer each. He told Chief Sheppard that there was no necessity to incorporate the names in the summons. And to Sergeant Hawton the advice was to better acquaint himself with the contents of alleged whiskey bottles. The court suggested that the sense of smell be made use of by the police department in future Sunday closing convictions.

"Scotty" Wilson was charged with stealing a watch from John Hill. Wilson and Hill met on the City of Kingston Saturday and they both came over from Seattle. Hill took Wilson to his house on Chatham street and gave him bed and food. Monday Wilson and Hill went the rounds of the saloons. They were drinking in the Teutonia saloon. Hill fell asleep there and when he woke up his newly made acquaintance, whom he had treated so loyally, had vanished and his silver watch, a family keepsake, was also missing. John Mitteer swore that Wilson offered the watch in the Omineca for $1.50 to the bartender. Witness gave $1 for the watch. Sergeant Levin arrested Wilson early this morning. Wilson claimed that he was intoxicated and did not know what he was doing. Three months.

Musical Attraction.

Miss Marie Louise Gumaer, contralto soloist and Miss Mabelle Biggart Anthon, reader and dramatist, will shortly give one of their entertainments at the Victoria theatre. Both are highly spoken of by the eastern papers.

The Grandholm Arrives.

The steamer Grandholm went to Esquimalt this afternoon to be docked and cleaned. She will take a load of coal to San Francisco and on her return will commence loading salmon for Liverpool. R. Ward & Co., Ltd., are the charterers.

Marriage at Esquimalt.

W. L. Gilchrist and Miss Amy Jacques were married at the home of the bride's mother, Esquimalt, on the 4th inst., the Rev. Dr. Campbell officiating. The happy couple intend to make their home at Esquimalt. Mr. Gilchrist till a year or two ago was in the navy.

A Prominent Visitor.

Col. James Hamilton Lewis, of Seattle, one of the leading lawyers and politicians of the west, is in the city and is at the Driard. He has been up to the Mainland on business and will spend a few days here. He recently returned from Washington where he argued and won the cases of the lieu landers along the line of the Northern Pacific. He is rated as one of the best orators in the United States.

Major Muirhead Arrives.

Major Muirhead, who is to superintend the construction of the fortifications at Esquimalt for the Imperial and Dominion governments, arrived from England last evening and registered at the Hotel Dallas. He remained over at Ottawa for a few days on his way across the continent and had a conference with the Dominion authorities relative to the work. Major Muirhead was busy to-day and could not be seen.

To the Hop Fields.

There were 200 Indians on the City of Kingston last evening on their way to the hop fields in King and Pierce counties, Washington. None of them are under contract, but are applicants for work, hence the alien labor law of the United States does not affect them. Agent Blackwood estimates that 1,000 have gone across in the City of Kingston in the last ten days or two weeks. Hop picking has already begun in some districts.

A Trio of Pugilists.

Among the passengers on the steamship Umatilla this morning bound for San Francisco were Peter Maher, "Denver" Ed Smith and "Spider" Kelly, a trio of noted pugilists. Maher is called the Irish champion and was the last victim of Fitzsimmons the Australian. Smith formerly lived in Victoria. His notable victories were defeating Goddard, the Australian, and standing Peter Jackson off for six rounds. "Spider" Kelly is a San Francisco lightweight and is one of the cleverest men in the business.

Electro Silver Plating and Gilding.

Old plated ware made equal to the best plate and warranted at 47 Fort street. T. W. Fletcher's.

Madame Laird.

Having resigned her position at the Conservatory of Music, has opened a studio for instruction in vocal music at her residence, 161 Vancouver, street, corner of Pandora.

National Business College.

47 Government street, Victoria, B. C. Best methods taught in bookkeeping, penmanship, arithmetic, shorthand, typewriting, correspondence, etc. Day and night school. Circulars free.

Sealskins Going Forward.

The steamer City of Kingston last evening carried away 112 casks of sealskins, being shipped to London by R. P. Rithet & Co. They will go across the continent over the Northern Pacific. The shipment requires three cars. This is the last large shipment except the one that will be made when the schooners came back from the Russian side.

Survey Boats Returning.

The United States coast and geodetic surveying steamers Hassler and C. P. Patterson intended to have left Sitka Tuesday for Puget Sound. The Hassler, on account of being unseaworthy, will probably winter at Port Orchard, and the Patterson will proceed direct to Mare island. The two steamers will call at Victoria on the way down.

Those Crowded Corners.

Complaints about the crowds around the Government and Yates street corners are becoming more numerous. Yesterday on one of the corners several chairs were placed on the sidewalk for ladies while they were waiting for the cars. These with the loafers made it almost an impossibility for pedestrians to pass.

The Vera Launched.

The schooner Vera was launched from Turpel's ways at high water yesterday afternoon. The launching was conducted very successfully. The Vera has been painted on the outside and presents a very neat appearance. She will now be given a thorough cleaning on the decks and inside. The schooner is now in better shape than she ever was before.

The Ainoko Sails.

The sealer Ainoko, Captain Heater, left to-day for Hesquoit with her Indians aboard. She carried away about all the freight she could stow aboard. It was made up mostly of lumber, with which the Indians will build houses and make other improvements at their places. The Ainoko will be gone for about two weeks. The Penelope is not going to the west coast.

Church at Oak Bay.

Bishop Perrin previous to his departure for the east gave his full consent to the formation of Oak Bay as a separate parish, with the Rev. A. J. Greer as pastor. In consequence a general meeting of all interested in this parish will be held at Mr. Greer's house, Oak Bay avenue, on Thursday evening next at 8 o'clock, to discuss general business, re building, etc.

Married at Vancouver.

A. J. McLellan of Victoria and Miss C. McCready, daughter of Samuel McCready, of Norton, N. B., were married at Vancouver yesterday afternoon. The bride arrived from her eastern home on the Pacific express, and the ceremony was performed in the captain's room on the steamer Premier, Rev. Coverdale Watson officiating. Mr. and Mrs. McLellan came down on the Premier and will occupy his handsome house on the Gorge road.

A Scottish Journalist.

Mr. Wm. A. Foulerton, a Scottish journalist of San Francisco, is briefly visiting Victoria, en route via Canada to his native Aberdeen. He expresses himself delighted with Victoria and appreciative of its commanding situation for future commercial supremacy. Mr. Foulerton is a son of the late Major-General Thomas A. Foulerton, of the British army. The business training and political standing of Mr. Foulerton have caused his influential friends to advance his name for the American consulship at Dundee.

Will be Docked.

The steamer Umatilla sailed for San Francisco this morning. Upon her arrival at the Bay City she will be placed in the dry dock for a general overhauling, the Queen going on the route until the repairs are completed. The following cabin passengers went to San Francisco on the Umatilla: H. C. Jensen, C. East, J. Hillier, J. McBain and wife, J. J. Hyland, E. G. Anderson, Geo. A. Doyle, Mrs. H. P. Luntz, Miss S. Comstock, Mrs. L. E. Walker, Mrs. J. M. Bradbury and child, E. Jorambemon and wife, Geo. L. Seward, S. Henderson, C. B. Hastler, F. Snow, and Geo. V. Lerot. She took 250 tons of Chinese freight ex S.S. Mogul.

Merry Wedding Bells.

A delightful home wedding occurred last evening at 94 Bay street, where W. D. Kinnaird and Miss M. E. Gleason were married by Dr. Campbell. The bride looked charming in a dress of cream silk, trimmed with silk guipure lace and orange blossoms. The groom and bride were supported by J. A. McIntosh and Miss M. A. Wilson. After the ceremony a large number of friends sat down to a repast. The presents were many and costly. Among them was a handsome clock from the choir of the First Presbyterian church, of which both are prominent members. Mr. and Mrs. Kinnaird will reside on Caledonia avenue.

TEMPERANCE WORKERS.

Opening of Grand Lodge—Gratifying and Encouraging Reports.

The officers and representatives of the eight annual session of the Grand Lodge, I. O. G. T., of British Columbia, met in the hall of Perseverance lodge, No. 1, Victoria, Tuesday, Sept. 5th. G. C. T., Rev. A. E. Green called the meeting to order and opened in the grand lodge degree.

The following officers were present: Rev. A. E. Green, G. C. T.; Rev. C. Bryant, G. Chap.; Mrs. M. Jenkins, G. S. J. T.; Dr. Lewis Hall, Grand Secretary; Mrs. Lewis Hall, Grand Assistant Secretary; Bro. C. S. Keith, P. C. G. T.; Bro. A. R. Foxley, G. M.

The grand lodge degree was conferred on the following representatives and members: J. N. Menzies, D. McLaren, Mrs. Winslow, D. McDonald, Mrs. G. Chadsey, Miss L. Bamfield, D. Ford, E. J. Pierson, A. A. King, P. G. Raymond, Wm. Gilchrist, H. Harrold, Mrs. Russell, E. Morrison, Mrs. Newbigging, Miss Carlow.

The following standing committees were struck: Distribution; state of the order; constitution and by-laws; insurances and benefits; petitions and appeals; official organ and literature; finance; juvenile work; district lodge; correspondence; political action.

On motion a question box was provided for the use of the members.

Hours of session were declared to be—9 a.m. to 12 m. 2 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Th G. C. T., G. C. and Grand Superintendent of the Juvenile Templars presented encouraging reports of their respective branches of the year's work. Each report being referred to appropriate committees for further action.

The auditor's report was as follows: "After carefully examining your books from September 29th, 1892, to July 31st, 1893, I find the accounts correct, during the period named."

The following invitation from the subordinate lodges of Victoria was heartily accepted:

To the G. C. T., officers and members of the Grand Lodge, I. O. G. T., of British Columbia:

The subordinate lodges of Victoria have much pleasure in tendering you an invitation to be present at the reception in the Victoria theatre this evening at 8 o'clock

(Signed.) T. BAMFIELD,
Secretary of Com.

The grand lodge, arrayed in official regalia, marched in a body from their hall to the theatre at 8 p.m.

Mayor Beaven occupied the chair at the public reception and the following programme was rendered:

Opening Ode.....Grand Lodge
Piano Solo.....Mr. Burnett
Address of Welcome.....Mayor Beaven
Response.....Rev. A. E. Green
Solo.....H. Firth
Address from Subordinate Lodges.....
.....Miss Bamfield
Response.....C. S. Keith
Solo.....Miss Dorey
Address from W.C.T.U.....Mrs. Spofford
Response.....Rev. Mr. Calvert
[illegible].....Rev. H. Webb
.....from Royal Templars.....
.....Rev. J. E. Combs
Response.....Rev. R. J. Irwin
Solo.....Mr. Russell
Duet.....Messrs. J. G. Brown and H. Firth
Solo.....J. G. Brown
Address.....Rev. S. Cleaver
"God Save the Queen."

For the morning session to-day the Grand Lodge met in Perseverance hall, Pandora avenue, at 9 o'clock, G. C. T. Rev. A. E. Green presiding. The minutes of the previous session were read and adopted. The committee on distribution presented a supplementary report, which on motion was received and adopted.

On motion of Rev. J. Calvert, seconded by Bro. W. W. Forrester, it was resolved that a permanent space be incorporated in the journal of proceedings in which shall be recorded the office of departed members, length of service, date of death and any items of special interest connected with the case.

P. G. C. T. Keith conferred the Grand Lodge degree on Bros. W. J. Trythall, J. W. Galloway and J. Rollins.

The report of District Lodge No. 1 was presented, received and referred to appropriate committees.

The insurance and benefit committee recommended the formation of a scheme of insurance in connection with the Grand Lodge of this province, which was adopted and heartily recommended to the favorable consideration of Good Templars throughout British Columbia. Provision for a sick benefit insurance will be made at a later session.

The meeting was in progress at the hour of going to press.

TO ETERNAL REST.

Rev. R. Jamieson of Westminster Passes Away to His Reward.

New Westminster, Sept. 6.—Rev. R. Jamieson, who has been seriously ill for about ten days, died this morning at 8:30 at the home of his sonin-law, J. D. Rae. He was in his 64th year. He was licensed a preacher in 1853, entering upon his first charge at Belturbet, Ireland, of which country he was a native. In 1856 he came to Canada and took charge of the church at Dunnville, but owing to ill health he removed to another field in Ontario. In 1861 he decided to go to British Columbia, thus becoming a pioneer of the Canada Presbyterian church here. He arrived at New Westminster on March 12, 1862, and speedily organized the congregation of St. Andrew's church, in which he ministered until 1865, when he removed to Nanaimo, establishing the Presbyterian congregation there. Early in 1869 he returned to Westminster and continued pastor of St. Andrew's until the breaking down of his health in 1884 compelled him to resign. Until his death he held the position of chaplain to the penitentiary. Being a pioneer, a great deal of work fell to Mr. Jamieson's share. He established besides the Westminster and Nanaimo churches the North Arm, Langley and Maple Ridge churches, keeping up for a number of years services at those places besides his own in Westminster. He leaves two sons, one of whom is Robt. Jamieson of Victoria, and five daughters. Mrs. T. H. Prosser of Victoria is one of the daughters.

Sale of the Carter.

The sale of the steamer T. W. Carter took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the auction rooms of Captain W. R. Clarke, on Yates street. There was a good attendance and the bidding was good for a time. The vessel was finally declared sold to Spratt & Gray for $1750.

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SHORT LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—For an oyster cocktail call at the Nickel Plate saloon.

—During the past week there have been seven deaths of children.

—Sunset lodge, K. of P., gave the third degree to two candidates last night.

—The British sovereign was worth $8.05 in Hong Kong on July 28th.

—The B. C. B. G. A. will hold a battalion drill on Thursday evening at the Market Hall.

—A new lighting machine has been received by the Tramway Co. The plant is being increased.

—Tea kettles with wrought iron stands, fitted with spirit lamps, are a novelty introduced by Weiler Bros.

—The meeting of the board of trade to discuss the cold storage proposition is to be held next Tuesday at 4 o'clock, not to-morrow.

—The council will meet this evening to arrange a date for an election to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of James Baker.

—County court will be held to-morrow. Owing to the illness of the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Drake will act as county court judge.

—The new Japanese drapery crepes and leather paper hangings just opened at Weiler Bros.' are very effective and the prices low for such elegant goods.

—The work of moving the Rock Bay bridge eight feet further north will shortly be begun, the end of the bridge at present is upon the property of A. L. Bechtel.

—The lease, bar fixtures and good will of the American Hotel were sold at auction to-day by Captain Clarke. Walter Chambers was the purchaser and his bid was $350.

—Ben M. Barney will hold a meeting for spiritual tests and psychometric readings at Pioneer Hall, 28 1-2 Broad St., on Thursday evening, Sept. 7th. Admission 25c.

—The Rev. H. A. Webb, the Singing Evangelist, will conduct the prayer meeting service at the Calvary Baptist church Thursday evening, Sept. 7th. All are cordially invited.

—A Snider rifle and several articles of uniform stolen from the local companies of the B. C. B. G. A. have been returned. The person who stole the rifle will probably be prosecuted.

—The autumn social dance at the Victoria gardens this evening promises to be a very enjoyable affair. Boats will convey passengers from McIntosh's and the Brown-Richardson orchestra will furnish music.

—Another consumer of paregoric and castoria arrived to-day consigned to the leading member of a palatial drug emporium, corner of Yates and Douglas streets. All the parties to the happy and interesting event are doing well.

—Sand and Ramus, the two small boys arrested by Sergeant Hawton charged with robbing Parker's meat market, came up in the police court this afternoon. The case was being heard at the time of going to press. Fifty dollars of the stolen money has been secured.

—The meetings announced for Wednesday and Thursday evenings of this week under the auspices of the B.Y.P. U.'s of the Emanuel and Calvary Baptist churches, conducted by Rev. C. C. Marston, have been indefinitely postponed. Prayer meetings as usual at both churches Thursday evening.

TO PROTECT MISSIONARIES.

An Advocate for Christain Workers in the Chinese Empire.

Vancouver, Sept. 6.—The steamer Premier did not arrive this morning till after the departure of the train.

Rev. O. S. Nostengrand, a friend of the two Swedish missionaries massacred near Hankow, is here, on his way to the Chicago religious parliament, where he will take what steps possible for the united action of the United States and European powers for protection of missionaries in China.

Four candidates are writing for licenses to practice medicine.

Nine carloads of canned salmon left New Westminster over the C. P. R. today for the east.

Archduke Ferdinand and party will stay here till Friday, then go to Okanagan for the shooting. They will then go by way of Revelstoke o the Yellowstone Park. San Francisco will not be visited.

County Court.

The following come on for hearing: Ordinary summonses, 16; adjourned, 7; judgment summonses, 35; adjourned, 8; garnishee summonses, 13; total, 79.

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"Land Registry Act."

Lot No. 1247 and Subdivision No. 15 of Lot No. 1257, Victoria City.

A certificate of indefeasible title to the above property will be issued to Joseph Dwyer on the 20th day of October, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said property, or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria, July 29, 1893. jy31-3m

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of License Commissioners for the city of Victoria, at its next sitting, for a transfer to Robert Dudgeon, of the license now held by me, to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Mirror Saloon, situate upon the corner of Yates and Broad streets, in said city.

Dated this 5th day of July, 1893.
a4-1m EDWARD LEGG.

B. C. Agricultural Association.

Parties having accounts against the B. C. Agricultural Association are requested to send them in to the undersigned at once.

A. J. DALLAIN,
a24-tf Secretary.

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Victoria, B.C., August 24th, 1893.—1m

MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

The Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company

NOTICE.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of the company will be held at the company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 4th day of October next, at 11 a.m.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary.
Dated at Victoria, 29th August, 1893.
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BRITISH POLITICS.

The Home Rule Bill in the House of Lords.

London, Sept. 5.—In the house of lords to-day Earl Spencer, first lord of the admiralty, moved the second reading of the home rule bill. He reviewed at some length the history of England since the union. All the so-called remedial measures of the successive governments, he said, had come too late to help the country. Even had they not contained radical defects which would have rendered them useless, early or late, his own personal experience satisfied him that home rule was the only possible solution of the Irish question. After dwelling upon the beneficent results to be expected from several provisions of the bill, Earl Spencer closed with the declaration that the Gladstonian plan of home rule was calculated to satisfy all the aspirations of Ireland to self-government. The Duke of Devonshire, Liberal-Unionist, moved the rejection of the bill.

The Duke of Devonshire contended that every class in Ireland except one was Unionist and opposed to the measure under discussion. Did the government, he asked, believe that the manufacturers, merchants, and traders of the country who opposed the home rule bill mistook their position? The union of Ireland and Great Britain, he said, has been a decree of nature which laws and treaties had only recorded. The present bill was crude and unworkable and a violation of the constitution. The duke read his speech throughout, turning page after page. The house showed very little interest in his remarks. Viscount Powers, the Liberal-Unionist, was the next speaker, and the attendance dwindled while he enlarged upon the coming ruin of Ireland. Home rule would blight all industries, he said. Baron Brassey, Liberal, spoke in support of the bill, and the Duke of Norfolk, Liberal Conservative, spoke against it.

The government was defeated in the house of commons this afternoon on a motion to reduce the salaries of the officers of the house of lords. The motion was defeated by a combination of Radicals and Conservatives, the vote being 103 to 95.

Relics of Troy.

Trojan relics of priceless value and high antiquity have reached Washington from the New York custom house, which will form one of the most interesting relics presented to the Smithsonian institution for many years. They were dug from the ruins of Troy by Dr. Schliemann, and must have passed through the mighty conflagration which the legend says ended the Trojan war. The meaning and associations of these are of surpassing interest, for until a few years ago scholars and learned men believed that the heroes of Homer and Virgil, who fought at the dawn of history, existed only in myth and story. The discovery worked a revolution in classic history. These interesting objects are made of many materials, of which stone, bronze, ivory, marble, terra cotta and bone may be mentioned. There are 188 in all. They include a variety of articles, such as weapons, idols, vases, urns, knives, daggers, pins, whorls, drinking vessels of elaborate designs and patterns, rings, jugs and bullets. The whorls, which are the most numerous of any objects in the collection, had a peculiar use. There are eighteen of these. They are circular shaped, vary from one inch to three inches in diameter, and are made of stone highly polished and ornamented. They formed a very essential part of the rude spinning wheel which the Trojan matrons of that day used. Then it was fashionable for all women to spin, and even those of royal blood, who from the walls often watched their friends and favorites in the battles on the plains below, could deftly twist threads of great evenness and uniformity.

The drinking vessels excite the greatest curiosity. A few of the names as they appear in the original catalogue will show what a variety of them there is. There are globular jugs, lustrous jugs with incised ornamentation, two-handled goblets, two-handled jugs, two-handled cups, one-handled cups, lilliputian jugs, bowls and other vessels. These are of various sizes. Some hold as much as two quarts and some no more than a thimblefull. The double-handled goblets, of which there are three, are of curious construction. They stand about six inches high, and have on either side long, slender handles reaching from top to bottom. They hold about the same quantity as goblets of the present day. A broad, shallow bowl in the collection may have been used in the sacrifices to hold the sacred meal which it was the custom of the Greeks and Trojans to throw over the animal about to be sacrificed. Besides the drinking vessels there are many interesting vases. One of these is a tripod vase about ten inches high, which was made to stand upon three short legs. Another is a vase of mythic style, and a third is ornamented with strange lines that portray a likeness of a face of a woman. There are other objects of terra cotta, of which three balls, oblong and pyramidal weights, one idol, one head and one ring are the more important. There are many curious pieces of marble quaintly carved which were very essential in the economy of the Trojan religion. These are as thin as wafers and grotesquely shaped.—Washington Post.

The Hydrophone.

The principal object of this in genious yet simple apparatus is to give warning to a port or fleet of the approach of a torpedo boat, even if the latter is totally submerged and therefore quite invisible. We have already referred to it in general terms, but we are now able to give a detailed description of its action. It consists essentially of two parts, one submerged in the sea at a proper distance from the port or fleet to be warned and at a depth sufficient to escape the surface agitation. This part may be described as an iron bell-jar, which on being plunged mouth downwards into the water, retains a volume of air in the upper portion or bottom, where a copper box, protecting the sensitive organ of the apparatus, is fixed. The organ in question is merely a very delicate vibratory contact, which makes and breaks an electric circuit conecting the submerged bell with the indicator or second part of the hydrophone, situated on shore or on board one of the ships of the fleet. The contact is formed by a fine horizontal spring fixed at one end and loaded at the other by a heavy piece of brass, having on its upper surface a small platinum stud. A fine platinum needle kept upright by a vertical guide rests its lower end loosely on the platinum stud. The needle and the stud are connected in the circuit through the guide and spring, and when the needle dances on the stud the circuit is made and broken. An electric current from the ship or shore battery is always flowing through the circuit—that is to say, between the submerged bell and the indicator. Now, the propeller of a torpedo boat or of a torpedo sets up vibrations in the water, and these, reaching the submerged bell, agitate the trembling contact so that the needle dances on the stud and interrupts the current. The consequence is that the indicator begins to work and announces the submarine disturbance. This part of the hydrophone consists, essentially of an electro-magnet through which the current passes, with an armature free to oscillate when the current is made and broken; that is to say, when the current becomes thermittent. The motions of this armature can be seen by an observer if he chooses to watch, but actual observation is not required, for the indicator itself gives the alarm. This takes place when the swing of the armature carries it within the attraction of a magnetic contact piece fixed near it. The armature is then drawn to the contact piece and held fast there. The swinging armature and the contact piece are connected in the circuit of a local battery, and, when they meet, the current flows to ring an electric bell or light an electric lamp. The torpedo boat thus announces its own arrival on the scene in spite of itself, and precautions can be taken against it.

The hydrophone is at present undergoing a practical trial in the Solent, and Capt. McEvoy, the inventor, estimates that three of the instruments suitably placed would be sufficient to protect Portsmouth harbor. He is now engaged in constructing a larger bell than that already submerged, in order to meet the requirements of the government authorities. The whole apparatus is beautifully worked out, and comparatively inexpensive. Moreover, it is sufficiently sensitive to announce the passage of a steamer a mile distant from the bell. Obviously such an instrument might also be used for submarine signalling for a ship, by stopping and starting her propeller, could send a message in the Morse code, and the shore could respond by flashing the electric lamp. In the case of another ship the response might be made by her propeller.—London Times.

Origin of the Elevator.

We are informed that the "lift" or "elevator," the apparatus which takes us from the ground floor to the top of the house in a few seconds, is not a modern invention, says a Brussels paper. An ingenious contrivance of a similar nature was constructed in the middle of the seventeenth century in Paris by a man named Velayer, who called his invention a flying chair. Velayer's lift was not merely a toy, it became very fashionable with rich people on account of its utility. It was simply a chair attached to a rope, which was passed over a pulley—or something which did duty for one—and had a weight at its other end to counterbalance the chair and its occupant. It continued in fashion until a mishap occurred to the king's daughter at Versailles. On one occasion the machinery failed to work when she was half way up, and she stuck there for three good hours before she could be rescued by her servants, who had to break away the wall to release her.

"Flying chairs" were not much used at court afterward. Some years later M. Thronier, who dabbled in mechanics in his leisure time, made a similar chair, which he worked from the balcony outside his window. He thus escaped the danger of being shut up in a shaft as the king's daughter was. M. Thronier kept his arrangement secret and had many a laugh at the expense of his friends who came to visit him. When they left him he would make some excuse for not going down stairs with them, but when they reached the courtyard they were amazed to find him standing there awaiting them. To their questions he would return jesting replies, and then seat himself in his chair and go up so quickly that they were unable to discover how he did it. One day instead of surprising his friends agreeably he did so disagreeably, for the machinery broke and he came greatly to grief. He used the staircase after his recovery.

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Portland, Sept. 5.—In the vicinity of Butterville, Marion county, are over 500 acres of hops, the picking of which begins on Wednesday. For several days past Chinese, who had been contracted for some time ago, have been going in and distributing themselves among the various hop yards until some 500 were there. During the same time white men with their wives and families have been collecting at Butterville to the number of 300, in the hope of obtaining work in the hop fields, but they were told that the help needed was engaged. Last night two houses occupied by Chinese, who had hop gardens, were blown up, but no one was killed. This morning 75 white men started out and gathered up 30 Chinese at one ranch and 50 at another, took them to the river and put them in a boat which arrived here this evening. The hop-growers offered no resistance, but said the Chinese had been engaged when white labor could not be procured. The whites intend to send away all Chinese from Butterville. No violence has been used, the Chinese offering no resistance.

A Doctor's View.

One of the most noted physicians of modern times says:—"When the system is surcharged with bile and the liver needs a powerful stimulus to excite it to duty, then it is that we use powerful cathartics to obtain the necessary relief, often attended, however, with prostrating effects," and he might also add, "often causing by their re-action worse constipation and biliousness than before." Now this is not the case with Ecclipy's Liver Lozenges. They do not prostrate nor re-act. They act gently yet powerfully. Those troubled with chronic constipation or a bilious habit that has lasted for years must continue their use for some time; but they will do their work and permanently cure those afflicted.

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VERNON VIEWS.

The Sale of the Commonage—The Farmers Want Mill—High Land Rent.

(From our own Correspondent.)

Vernon, B. C., Sept. 4.—Residents of Okanagan are not unmindful of your efforts to have the commonage near Vernon thrown open to settlement, but it seems now that the movement is doomed to failure. The government announces its sale by public auction on 12th prox., in 40-acre tracts, to the highest bidder. As no requirements of settlement or improvement are demanded, it is safe to predict that every choice tract will be bought up by non-residents and the balance not sold at all. How this will inure to the "public benefit" (as definitely promised by Mr. Vernon) we are at a loss to determine. Extensive tracts in the interior are reserved from sale, and as these include some of the best grazing land we can only imagine that the whole scheme is in the interest of capitalists and stockmen. It will be interesting to note, and we will see that you are fully informed—what officials and government friends on the coast obtain rumors of purchases pretty near the head of the government coming up to bid therefor. In view of Premier Davie's remark (Times, Sept. 1st, page 1) that "land monopoly was the curse of the west and his government was determined to do away with the evil" by "taxing the monopolist out of existence," we must infer that the Premier and Commissioner of Lands and Works do not pull together by any means.

Mr. Price Ellison is busy threshing and hauling his grain to Enderby mill. The yield is about the average, with slightly increased acreage, but the price, $16 per ton, is discouraging. It is a certainty that the farmers will put up a grist mill at Vernon in time for next year's crops, as it will be a paying investment and will keep the immense sums now paid out for flour and feed at home, instead of in the pockets of a non-resident firm as now. The project was agitated last spring, but action was deferred until too late this year; the dissatisfaction even at last year's price of $24 being a cause of ill-feeling between grower and miller. A site and power is offered and a bonus from the city council assured.

Owing to dissensions among the officials of the agricultural society—about which an unsavory scandal is about to be ventilated—no show will be held this year in the Okanagan. The race meeting, however, will be held the first week in October, over $700 already being subscribed for prizes. Several of Calgary's fleet will be present, as well as from Kamloops, Nicola and the south. Posters will shortly be out.

Vernon's "knickerbocker" club is likely to die a-borning. The large building erected as its quarters, in rear of the government house, has not been taken over from the contractor, it is suggested that the caravanseral be used as a hospital.

Messrs. Stuart & Harber, the founders of the Vernon News, will shortly re-enter the publishing field, Mr. Stuart being now en route from the old country where he has spent the last 12 months recuperating. The job printing business of W. J. Harber at Vernon will be merged in the new concern.

There is evidently no lack of water within easy reach on the high bench land east of town. Last week, in digging a cellar for his new residence, Mr. W. R. Megaw struck so abundant a flow as to necessitate filling up the excavation and doing without a cellar.

Mr. W. F. Cameron has sold his new residence east of the Presbyterian church and will at once build on the adjoining lot.

Mrs. J. E. Crowell returned on Saturday from Victoria where she had been visiting.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Harris was buried on Sunday.

Mr. Murray has purchased four lots on the north end of Mara avenue and will build at once.

Slow progress is made with the new school building, lack of brick being the cause.

Supreme Grand President Elliott, accompanied by S. G. S. Carter, will be in Vernon about the 20th instant to organize a lodge of the Sons of England Benevolent Society. Fourteen charter members have given in their names. Mr. J. Bayliss, of New Westminster, has been instrumental in working up the affair.

Notwithstanding the low price of wheat ranching cannot be so unprofitable as often stated. Mr. C. Bajagno, of Okanagan Mission, was here last week for the purpose of renting 15 or 20 acres for a vegetable and small fruit patch, wishing to be near town so that his children could attend school. He was unsuccessful, $10 an acre rent being refused by Messrs. Ellison, Tronson, O'Keefe and others.

As in former years Mr. L. Girouard refuses to sell his fruit, but allows residents to help themselves freely from his splendid orchard. It is an everlasting shame to see how his kindness is abused by breaking down his trees and bushes by carelessness. Children will hereafter be strictly refused entrance to the orchard—and it is a pity this was not done long ago.

Judge Spinks' mansion is fast nearing completion. Several parties would like to rent the government house when he leaves, but it is understood that Mr. Monteith will have the refusal thereof.

Mr. St. George, of Vancouver, has been endeavoring to form a subordinate circle of Canadian Home Circle in Vernon, but so far without much success.

Campbell Bros. have removed from Schubert's block to their new store west of the Kalamalka Hotel.

It is expected that the I. O. O. F. will give a ball or a boat excursion—perhaps both—during the fall races.

Mr. D. J. Buchanan has resigned his office of night watchman and has been succeeded by Mr. Wm. Heron.

Grouse and chicken are very scarce. It will be a waste of time for coast sportsmen to come to the Okanagan for game this year. OKANAGAN.

New Hydraulic Pump.

In a new hydraulic pump arrangement just being introduced in some of the English collieries, two columns of water are substituted for the ordinary pump rods connecting the steam engine with the pump, and which may be placed any distance from each other. Advantage is taken of the fact that water being practically incompressible, and that if a pipe is filled with water a piston at one end will, if pushed forward, propel a piston placed at the other end in the same direction; with two pipes and four pistons a reciprocating motion is obtained. The arrangement consists of a hydraulic cylinder in which works a piston or ram, called the power ram, which is moved by a crank driven by a steam engine. At the pump there is a cylinder exactly the same as that at the engine, in which is a piston or ram attached to the plunger of a double-acting pump, and a pipe connects the end of the power cylinder at the engine with the end of the motor cylinder at the pump. When both cylinders and pipes are filled with water and the water piston is moved by the engine the water in the power cylinder is forced through the pipe into the end of the motor cylinder at the pump, and the motor piston is moved. In a like manner when the power ram at the engine moves, that at the pump responds, carrying the pump plunger with it. Thus the pump plunger is moved backward and forward in the same way as if there was a direct connection by means of rods between the steam engine and the pump.

REINDEER IN ALASKA.

The Experiment of Propagating Them is Proving Successful.

Rev. Dr. Sheldon Jackson, United States general agent of education in Alaska for several years, was in Seattle on Monday on his way to Washington city.

He informed a Telegraph reporter that the experiment of establishing reindeer on the Alaskan peninsula has now, according to his belief, passed the experimental stage and is a pronounced success.

Out of 170 reindeer brought from Siberia last year and placed in Alaska 11 died during the year just closed. Eighty-eight fawns were dropped and 79 of them lived. Under the direction of Mr. Jackson while north the revenue steamer Bear made a number of trips across Behring straits and bartered for 37 more animals, which were safely landed in Alaska.

"Owing," said he, "to the fact that this was the first winter, and a very severe one it was, that the reindeer had spent in their new home, the government felt a great deal of anxiety to know how they passed through and how they got along on the Alaskan moss. Of the 70 landed last year but 11 died, and these from bruises and severe injury received while transporting them to their new home. None of the deaths can be attributed to the change of climate or the new conditions which surround them. The herd was left in the charge of two white men and four Siberian herders, assisted by several Alaskan young men, who are learning the business.

"The question of food did not create the least anxiety. The Arctic moss was so abundant that the herders never had to take their charge to a distance from the village greater than two miles during the year. They are at a station on the harbor of Port Clarence, the nearest American harbor to the Siberian coast.

"During last spring there was an addition to the herd of 88 fawns, and of the number 79 lived and now give promise of doing well.

"Before leaving Northwestern Alaska I made a number of trips across Behring Sea in the month of July and brought over 37 more grown reindeer in the Bear. The winter up in the Arctic was an unusually severe one and the revenue cutter experienced much difficulty from the ice. We encountered at first heavy floes down south as far as St. Mathews island in the Behring Sea. This was about the 10th of June, when we were steering our way to the northward. From that time on through June and July the center met heavy ice floes in every direction. Behring straits was full of ice and the Bear had to pick her way carefully while crossing and recrossing. Two or three of the important stations on the Siberian coast we could not get into on account of the blockade of ice.

"So far there has been no utilization of reindeer milk or meat for food. Experiments will, however, be continued till the herd will be of such proportions that it can be generally used.

"We buy the reindeer from the Siberian villagers by barter. The natives of that part of Siberia do not know anything about money or its value and there is none there of any kind. The reindeer cost about $5 each in barter, and in exchange for them the government gives lead, tobacco, powder, shot, calico, axes, fox traps, knives and numerous things pleasing to their fancy.

"I consider now that the problem has passed the experimental stage and that it is only a question of time and money. It is the intention ultimately of the government to cover the whole frozen region of Alaska with reindeer."

Speaking of Siberia Mr. Jackson stated that during the four years in which he had visited the coast he had never seen a Russian or civilized man on the coast.

What no Fellow Can Find Out.

Four men may eat green fruit with impunity, but a fifth may try the experiment and an hour or so later be tied up in knots with cramps and dysentery. Who the fifth man will be is one of those things no fellow can find out, and consequently all should take time by the forelock, and prepare for such an attack by keeping on hand a bottle of Perry Davis' Pain Killer which is a safe, quick and infallible cure for diarrhoea, cholera, cramps, or indeed, any disorder of the stomach. This excellent medicine can be bought at any reputable drug store. 25 cents will purchase the Big Bottle, New Size.

Northern Pacific

Double trains daily to St. Paul, Milwaukee and Chicago without change of cars. Connects at St. Paul and Chicago for all points east and south. Superior Pullman sleepers, upholstered tourist cars and dining cars on all through trains. Direct service to the Yellowstone national park. Fast time and all the reduced rates offered patrons of this line. For full information call or address E. E. Blackwood, ticket agent, Adelphi building, Victoria.

Special Notice.

Parties having card plates can have cards printed direct from the plates for $1.50 per hundred; engraved and copper plate supplied together with 100 cards for $2.50. At the Victoria Lithograph Co., cor Yates and Government sts.

JUST OUT!
HAVE YOU SEEN IT?
THE BIG BOTTLE
PAIN-KILLER

Old Popular 25c. Price.

Mathematics in Medicine.

He was a doctor of the advanced school. He laid his finger on my pulse, and, with his watch in his hand, gave it a fair start and observed it carefully all of the way around.

"Strong, 74," he said in a moment. Then he consulted a card that was covered with figures and continued: "That equals 62," and he placed that number on a slate.

"Put out your tongue. Good! That is 14," he said.

"Inches?" I asked.

"How is your appetite?" he inquired, ignoring my question.

"Equal to the supply."

"That makes 204," he replied.

"Can't you reduce it a little?" I asked, but failed to get his attention.

"Cool feet?"

"Yes," I answered.

"Three," he said.

"No, 5," I replied, to correct him.

He set the three under the other figures. He then placed a thermometer in my mouth, which he afterward consulted in connection with the card.

"A good 108," he said.

"Impossible," I suggested, mildly.

He wrote down the 108, and asked if I had headaches.

"Sometimes in the morning, after being kept late at the office," I answered.

"Four," he said.

"Isn't that rather low?" I asked.

"Do you smoke?" he inquired.

"Yes."

"Ten," he replied.

"No; two for 10," I said.

He put down the ten.

"Do you sleep well?" he asked.

"That depends upon the baby," I answered.

"We won't consider that," he said.

"You had better call it 980," I suggested.

He added together the figures he had placed upon the slate.

"That makes 496," he said.

"Is that the amount of the bill?" I asked.

"Bill!" he replied. "That is the number of the prescription. I want you to know that medicine with me is no longer an experiment, for I have reduced it to a mathematical certainty. Every symptom has its number and the sum of these numbers indicates the medicine that is needed. I have worked for fifteen years in formulating my prescriptions and perfecting the treatment, but I have it now. Your bill is $10."

I understood that number and left the office feeling relieved and deeply impressed by the doctor's learning.

All Men

Young, old or middle aged, who find themselves nervous, weak and exhausted, who are broken down from excess or overwork, resulting in many of the following symptoms: Mental depression, premature old age, loss of vitality, loss of memory, bad dreams, dimness of sight, palpation of the heart, lack of energy, pain in the kidneys, headaches, pimples on the face and body, itching or peculiar sensation about the scrotum, wasting of the organs, dizziness, specks before the eyes, twitching of the muscles, eyelids and elsewhere, bashfulness, deposits in the urine, loss of will power, tenderness of the scalp and spine, weak and flabby muscles, desire to sleep, failure to be rested by sleep, constipation, dulness of hearing, loss of voice, desire for solitude, excitability of temper, sunken eyes, surrounded with leaden circles, oily looking skin, etc., are all the symptoms of nervous debility that lead to insanity unless cured. The spring or vital force having lost its tension, every function wanes in consequence. Those who, through abuse committed in ignorance, may be permanently cured. Send your address for book on diseases peculiar to man, send 10c in stamps sealed. Address M. V. Lubon, 24 Macdonnell ave., Toronto, Ont., Canada.

Pocket and table cutlery at Fox's, 78 Government street.

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VICTORIA B.C.

COAL

The New Vancouver Coal Mining & Land Co., Ltd.

(FORMERLY THE VANCOUVER COAL CO.)

ARE THE LARGEST COAL PRODUCERS ON THE PACIFIC COAST.

THE NANAIMO COAL | THE SOUTH FIELD COAL

(Used Principally for Gas and Domestic Purposes.) (Steam Fuel.)

THE NEW WELLINGTON COAL

House and Steam Coal, are mined by this Company only.

The "NANAIMO" COAL gives a large percentage of Gas, high Illuminating power unequalled by any other Bituminous Gas Coal in the world, and a superior quality of Coke.

The "SOUTH FIELD" COAL is now used by all the leading Steamship Lines on the Pacific.

The "NEW WELLINGTON" COAL, which was introduced early in the present year, has already become a favorite, especially for domestic purposes. It is a clean, hard coal; makes a bright and cheerful fire, and its lasting qualities make it the most economical fuel in the market.

The several Mines of the Company are connected with their Wharves at Nanaimo and Departure Bay, where ships of the largest tonnage are loaded at all states of the tide. Special dispatch is given to Mail and Ocean Steamers.

SAMUEL M. ROBINS,
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Printed from Copper Plates and Stone.

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Enlarged from small photographs in the best style of the Lithographer's Art.

SOME of our Victoria Merchants still send orders to Toronto and other Eastern Cities, in the mistaken notion that they can get it done cheaper. They of course know they cannot get it done better than in Victoria. We are prepared to do the work at Toronto Prices, if orders of the same size are given to us as are given to Toronto houses.

Call and see samples of our work before placing your orders with drummers.

Keep the Money In the Country.

Orders may be left at the TIMES Office.

VICTORIA LITHOGRAPH CO.,
W. R. CREECH, Manager.

THE LONDON & CANADIAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LT'D

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL STOCK $500,000 (WITH POWER TO INCREASE TO $1,000,000.)

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PROGRESSION VS. DEPRESSION

Suggestive Suggestions of Profitable Business Bringing.

HOW, WHEN AND WHERE TO ADVERTISE

Disposition and Indisposition to Use Printer's Ink—A Cure for Hard Times—The Scientific Character of the Business.

Written for the Times by Nath'l C. Fowler, Jr., Doctor of Publicity.

In presenting this, the first of the series of articles on general publicity and business development, it is best for me to formally state that I have no interest in this paper or in any other paper, and that I am neither directly or indirectly connected with any medium of advertising space. I am simply attempting to tell you the truth of successful publicity, as I see it, and as I know it is seen by the best business men of the country.

Five parts of alleged know so, four parts of guess so, one part of something, and you have the composition of business depression.

There is reason for everything, but mighty little of anything is founded on reason.

Half the people are sheep, and half the rest are lambs.

Ten per cent. of the folks in every community do the thinking for ninety per cent.

The reason in most people is what they think is reason, without thinking much about it, anyway.

He who is sick would not be half so sick if he don't think he is twice as sick as he is.

Confidence is success.

Lack of confidence is failure.

Faith in business is business.

What you think is so is practically nearer so than that which is really so.

He who thinks he is successful generally is successful.

In every ailment, physical, mental or of business depression, something is generally the matter, but imagination magnifies that matter to hundreds of diameters.

When there is slight excuse for business depression, and money becomes tight, because each individual makes it tight by locking up everything he has, demanding payment from debtors and refusing to pay creditors, there is reasin for depression, but there is no reason for this reason.

In nine cases out of ten business owes its depression to the depressed thoughts of depressed men, who imagine they are depressed because they think they are depressed.

How long would a steamboat captain hold his job who banked his fires and slowed down during a storm? The successful navigator crowds on steam, not an unsafe amount, but enough to keep his vessel moving as rapidly in storm as in calm, and sometimes more rapidly.

There is equilibrium in motion.

Equilibrium is safety.

Most business men, as soon as they find business dull, refuse to look at the cause, and simply work themselves up into a frenzy of depression, cut expenses in every way, talk hard times, show hard times in their faces, give a hard-time appearance to the store, and get exactly what they expect—no trade.

The progressive merchant arranges his counters more attractively, piles his goods higher than usual, decorates his windows, burns more gas, brushes up everything, puts a new coat of paint, on the outside, looks animated, diffuses enthusiasm into every clerk, advertises more extensively and gets the bulk of the business.

There are selling seasons, and there always will be, but people wear out clothes and shoes as much in dull times as in flush, and the dull-time stomach will have its accustomed food anyway.

There are few men who punish their stomachs for the sins of their business.

People eat about the same, and all the time. There may be a light economy in their eating, but still they eat.

Men may not buy as much furniture in dull times, nor a good many other things which they can wait for, but they buy necessities, and perishable luxuries, for their stomachs must be filled and their bodies clothed.

The majority of men in dull times feel the want of those things, which they think they cannot have, more keenly than during the season when they can afford to have what they want; therefore they see a great many things they think they want because they think they can't have them.

In hard times they select many new articles, to be purchased when times change, and the progressive man, who presents his goods prominently before the public when they think they can't afford to have them, is the man who will sell the bulk of these things when the times become better; and times always do become better.

The leading magazines are filled with advertisements. Their difference in quantity is imperceptible, whether the times be flush or bad.

The local dailies, and the local weeklies, contain almost as much advertising in dull times as in flush, because the old fogies pull out and the progressive men increase their space.

The statement I make, that dull times offer an unusually good opportunity for general local trade-pushing and advertising I back with the experience of many years, and the positive knowledge of hundreds, if not thousands, of advertisers who never think of cutting publicity expenses during dull times, and who advertise then, first, because it pays to advertise; second, because they pull trade away from the droners who are afraid to advertise, and thereby build up trade for keeps; third, because people make up their minds to buy when good times come, and will buy of the man who makes the best hard-time announcements.

The following sample advertisements indicate original, yet effective styles of dull time advertising. The advertisements are not complete, because space will not allow it. They give a general form, which the advertiser can easily fill out. Goods should never be advertised for less than cost, unless some reason is given for so doing, therefore I have avoided unreasonable exaggeration. In these days of misrepresentation, modest statements are far stronger than overreaching ones. I have dwelt particularly upon low prices, because low prices are objects of interest when times are supposed to be dull. There is no objection to advertising the hard times, providing you make the advertisement so bright that people will believe that the times are hard everywhere except at your store.

We Trust

All good Victorians.

These are times when folk don't have much money—We've plenty of stock—credit enough to buy more—We give credit to respectable everybody—hard pan prices just the same.

The above is an introduction, to be followed by a description of goods, not more than two or three articles at a time. The advertisement can occupy any space, the larger the better. It would look well in double column.

BUY NOW

A word with you—If you've money or credit, use it to buy everything you need or may need during the next year—You save from 15 to 20 per cent. Money's scarce—we make big sacrifice—because we want money. A word to careful saving folk like you is sufficient.

The above advertisement is of general form, to be followed by brief descriptive matter.

"If Smith sells it, it's good."

Hard Time Honesty.

Let's talk together. Have you any cash? Let us have it. We'll pay you for it by selling you anything for one half our usual price. We're hard up—not going to fail—simply can't get money. Take advantage of us, if you have money—we'll give you the biggest interest on it.

The above advertisement is a genuine, honest, hard-time advertisement, which will be appreciated by everybody. Descriptive matter should follow it.

You need a A decent

HAT

You need it now. Don't spoil your credit by a seedy top piece—look like prosperity if you would have folk think you are prosperous. We have a straw hat. We bought it for $1.15—sold it at $1 65—a handsome hat—as good as any hat. You can have it for 71 cents—Why?—None of your business—you get the hat, we lose the rest.

The above advertisement can apply to almost any article, substituting that article for the hat, and slightly changing the reading matter to meet it.

Marine.

Collier Mineola passed up to Nanaimo yesterday.

Tug Lorne passed up to Nanaimo this morning with a bark in tow.

The U. S. lighthouse tender Columbine was in the harbor this afternoon.

The steamer Signal is expected from San Francisco. She goes on the Victoria, Vancouver and Portland route for the C.P.R.

Schooner Pioneer is waiting for a favorable wind to start on her trip to the west coast. She is loaded with lumber and provisions.

How to Get a "Sunlight" Picture.

Send 25 "Sunlight" soap wrappers (wrapper bearing the words "Why does a Woman Look Old Sooner Than a Man?") to Lever Brothers, Limited, 43 Scott street, Toronto, Ont., and you will receive by post a pretty picture, free from advertising and well worth framing. This is an easy way to decorate your home. The soap is the best in the market, and will only cost 1c postage to send in the wrappers, if you leave the ends open. Write your address carefully.

Razors and shaving materials of best sheffield make at Fox's, 73 Government street. Satisfaction guaranteed.

HAD NOTHING TO SAY.

Sunday Liquor Seller Fined—Re-Survey of the City.

Nanaimo, Sept. 6.—Anthony Peters, proprietor of the Royal restaurant, was up before Magistrate Planta on a charge of selling beer without a license and also with an infraction of the Sunday Closing act. Peters made no attempt to plead his innocence, as he knew the case was conclusive, so he asked the magistrate to deal leniently with him. He was fined in all on the two charges $180. It seems as though the defendant will have difficulty in raising the fine, and may have to languish in jail for six months.

The Nanaimo Hornets have succeeded in getting up a strong team for the coming football season. There are several fresh arrivals on the list, and that of John Quine (captain) is an acquisition; also Cox (three-quarter back). E. Potts will be asked to play full back with the team, and if he consents the club will be complete. They look forward to a game with the Victorians this year. It is understood the Vancouver club have managed to get a few more good players among them, so that a hard match is expected.

A. R. Heyland is to be asked to give the council a distinct proposition as to the cost of a re-survey of the city, the registrar having refused to register titles on certain property in the city owing to a dispute in the lines.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World.

YACHTING.

WHERE'S THE VALKYRIE?

New York, Sept. 5.—While Lord Dunraven's yacht Valkyrie, which sailed for America on the morning of August 23, is not overdue, there is a little anxiety among yachtsmen concerning the racer. This anxiety has doubtless been caused by the recent terrible storms. Since her departure from the other side the Valkyrie has not been reported by any of the fast steamers arriving at this or European ports, although the yacht must be traversing the lines of the transatlantic travel. She must have encouraged the first of the great storms. The Valkyrie is 18 days out.

THE PILGRIM'S MEASUREMENT.

Boston, Sept. 6.—The official measurement of the yacht Pilgrim is 85 28 feet, according to the report of Mr. Hyslop, measurer of the New York Yacht club.

Ryde, Isle of Wight, Sept. 6.—The first race for the International gold cup given by the Royal Victoria Yacht Club began to-day. The course was forty miles, and the contestants, the Britannia and the Navahoe. The Britannia took the lead at the start.

The Britannia won.

LACROSSE.

THE BOYS EN ROUTE.

Winnipeg, Sept. 5.—The Victoria lacrosse team passed through Winnipeg to-night, en route for Montreal. The boys are all in good spirits, and have thoroughly enjoyed the trip thus far. At Carberry they were joined by the Capitol Tecumseh team, returning to Winnipeg, and the run was fast and furious. At the station here a large number of Winnipeg lacrosse players and friends were gathered, and greeted the Victoria boys with hearty cheers. Ditchburn was to join the team here to-day, but will not arrive till to-morrow, and will have to proceed east alone.

NANAIMO VS. VANCOUVER.

One of the attractions at Nanaimo on Saturday will be a lacrosse match, Vancouver vs. Nanaimo. It was supposed that the Victoria Intermediates would play Nanaimo, but prior arrangements prevented this. Victoria and Nanaimo will probably play on the 16th.

THE WHEEL.

JOHNSTON'S FAST MILE.

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 6.—Zimmerman's time yesterday for a mile, flying start, was to-day lowered 1 3-5 seconds by J. S. Johnston, at the races of the Columbus Cycling Club meet. Johnston's time was 2 minutes 7 1-5 seconds. The Quadruplex it was found would not hold the turns, and record breaking was done with a flying start as Zimmerman did yesterday. Johnston was somewhat blown but jubilant. He received an enthusiastic reception from the 7000 people present.

BILLIARDS.

IVES AND SCHAEFER MATCHED.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—Schaefer and Ives are matched to play a fourteen inch balk line game for $2,500 a side. This match was the outgrowth of Schaefer claiming the championship cup title.

THE ENGLISH CHAMPION.

Toronto, Sept. 6.—John Roberts, the English champion billiardist, arrived in Toronto yesterday from New York. Thursday, Friday and Saturday he will give exhibitions in the art gallery of the Academy of Music, assisted by Geo. Sutton, the city champion.

CRICKET.

THE WELL-KNOWN COACH.

The cricket season comes to an end this week. It is proposed to give a benefit entertainment to he veteran coach, Robert Foster, who has done good service for the great game in this city for years. The benefit would take the form of an athletic carnival, in which the hundreds of military and naval friends of the irrepressible "Bob" on the station, would lend their valuable aid. The lacrosse men, it is believed, would also help. The matter is now under advisement.

THE TURF.

ORMONDE'S NEW HOME.

San Francisco, Sept. 5.—The English stallion Ormonde, which was purchased by W. C. B. Macdonough for $150,000, arrived at his California home yesterday, after the long journey from Buenos Ayres, by way of England and New York. The equine palace car in which Ormonde and a number of brood mares with foals made the trip across the continent was switched off the overland train at Niles and run down to Redwood City. Ormonde is in splendid condition, and as far as appearances are concerned, has not been fatigued by his long journey. Sampson, the groom, who has had charge of him since he left England, says the stallion does not weigh a pound less after his travels, and the same may be said of the other horses with him.

Mr. McCalmont's bay colt, Isinglass, by Isonomy out of Deadlock, yesterday maintained his unbeaten record, adding to his 2000 Guinea and Derby victories the third great three year old event of the English turf, the St. Leger stakes. His first appearance was in a maiden pate at Newcastle, May 18, 1892, when ridden by G. Chaloner and starting at 5 to 1 he defeated Queen's Parlon, Sweet Laura and eight others, winning by 2-4 of a length. The same year he won the new stakes at Ascot, value $10,630 and the Middle Park Plate, Newmarket, worth $11,875. In the last race Ravensbury ran second to him, and as an instance of consistency in public form these same horses have run first and second in the 2000 Guineas, Derby and St. Leger of the present year. Isinglass has now won for his owner about $125,000 in stakes.

The India en Route.

Hong Kong, Sept. 6.—The Canadian Pacific railway's steamship Empress of India left here at noon to-day for Victoria.

DIED.

REDGRAVE—In Donald, on the 5th inst., Martha Susan, wife of Stephen Redgrave, registrar and sheriff for East Kootenay. The funeral will take place on Thursday, 7th inst., at 4 p. m.

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Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors.

Take notice that pursuant to the "Creditors' Trust Deeds Act, 1890," by indenture dated and executed the 19th day of August, 1893, by Harry Disher, of No. 39 Herald street, in the city of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, and Stephen Graham Campbell, of No. 8 North Park street, in the said city of Victoria, carrying on business of grocers at No. 81 Douglas street, in the city of Victoria aforesaid, under the style or firm name of Disher & Campbell, the said Harry Disher and Stephen Graham Campbell, granted and assigned their real and personal property to Charles Fox Todd, of No. 218 Johnson street, in the city of Victoria aforesaid, and carrying on business at 72 Wharf street, in the said city of Victoria, merchant, and Joseph Clearihue, residing at Cadboro Bay road, in the said city of Victoria, and carrying on business at 26 Yates street, in the said city of Victoria, merchant, in trust for the creditors of the said Harry Disher and Stephen Graham Campbell. The said Charles Fox Todd and Joseph Clearihue executed the deed and accepted the trust thereby created on the 19th day of August, 1893.

Dated the 21st day of August, 1893.
S. PERRY MILLS,
of 46 Langley street, Victoria, B. C.,
a21-1m Solicitors for the trustees.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the Creditors' Trust Deeds Act, 1890

Notice is hereby given, that Edward White, carrying on business at Number 61 Government street, in the city of Victoria, under the firm name of Brown & White, dry goods merchants, has assigned all his real and personal property, except as therein mentioned, to John Joel Austin, of the said city of Victoria, in trust, for the purpose of paying and satisfying proportionately and without preference or priority, the creditors of the said Edward White. The said deed was executed by the said assignor and trustee on the 21st day of August, A.D. 1893, and the said assignee has undertaken the trusts created by the said deed. All persons having claims against the said Edward White must forward and deliver full particulars of claim, duly verified, to the assignee at Victoria, on or before the 21st day of October, 1893. All persons indebted to the said Edward White are required to pay the amount due by them to the said assignee forthwith. After the said 21st day of October, 1893, the trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice. A meeting of the creditors will be held at the office of the assignee, 32 Fort street, Victoria, on Monday, the 28th day of August, instant, at 3 o'clock p.m.

THORNTON FELL,
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